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Prairie youth drowns

EAST PRAIRIE--An East Prairie youth, Stephen Ray Patrick, 16, son of Mrs. Vivian Patrick of Charleston and the late Everett Patrick, drowned about 7:30 p.m. Sunday in the 34 Corner Blue Hole near East Prairie.

The youth was with a group of friends having a barbecue at the Blue Hole. Shortly after eating, he re-entered the water and disappeared.

The body was recovered about 9 p.m. by Mississippi County Rescue Squad.

The death has been ruled accidental by Elgin McMikle, Mississippi County Coroner.

Patrick was born Aug. 25, 1959 in Charleston where he had lived most of his life. Prior to his death, he was living at 207 Pecan St. in East Prairie.

Surviving in addition to his mother are five brothers, Ronnie Patrick of San Diego, Calif., Roy Gene Patrick and Richard Patrick of East Prairie, Billy Patrick of Elburn, Ill. and Michael Patrick of Charleston, and one sister, Janet Kirby of Aurora, Ill.

Friends may call at McMikle Funeral Home in Charleston where services are scheduled for 2 p.m. Tuesday. The Rev. Larry Long, pastor of First Christian Church, will officiate.

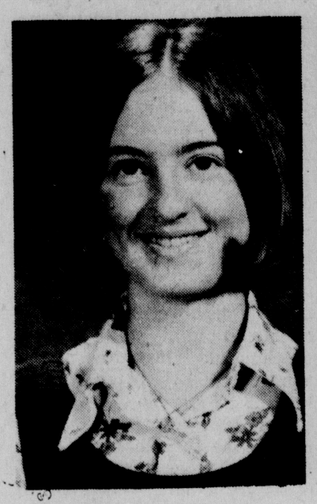
Burial will follow in Oak Grove Cemetery near Charleston.



Diane White



Andrea Harber



Katy Merideth



Philip Hunott

4 to speak at commencement

Diane White, Andrea Harber, Katy Merideth and Philip Hunott will be the principal student speakers Friday night at commencement exercises for 258 Sikeston High School seniors.

The program will begin at 7 p.m. at the football stadium. If it rains, exercises will be held in the fieldhouse.

Seniors will report to the high school at 8 a.m. Friday for rehearsal in their caps and gowns.

Graduates will march onto the football field to the traditional "Pomp and Circumstance" but will recess to the melody of "The Red and the Black."

The senior inner choir, directed by Gordon Beaver, will sing "Hands of Time" and "Time Is My Friend," and will be accompanied by Andrea Harber and Sandy Hei.

"An Answer for Our Time" was selected by the four senior student speakers as their topic. They will be introduced by Frank Marshall, senior class president.

Seniors Roy Sanderson, Joey Williams and Carl Leonard will respectively introduce principal Roger Sherman, Superintendent Sam Harbin, and Bob McCord, president of the board of education.

Libby Walker is scheduled to deliver the invocation and Marge Shields the benediction.

Valedictorian and salutatorian honors will be announced by Sherman.

Kissinger, Gromyko to meet

VIENNA (AP) — Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger at his meeting today with Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei A. Gromyko is willing to consider a compromise of one of the key U.S. positions in the Strategic Arms Limitation Talks, a senior American official told newsmen accompanying Kissinger.

The official said Kissinger is willing to modify his position on verification procedures in hopes of getting a nuclear arms limitation treaty in time for the next Soviet-American summit meeting, now scheduled for next fall.

The official said that there have been indications that Moscow has some new ideas on how to verify that the two countries adhere to their agreed limit of 1,320 offensive missiles that can carry multiple warheads.

Kissinger previously took the position that "any missile that has been tested" to carry the multiple warheads — known as MIRV's — "will be counted by us as being MIRV-ed."

But the senior official said Sunday that Kissinger's past statements did not represent a fixed formula, and the United States is always willing to consider alternatives.

Weather Review

	High	Low	Rain
May 12	69	51	.00
May 13	74	53	.00
May 14	79	57	.00
May 15	75	43	.00
May 16	75	53	.00
May 17	80	58	.00
May 18	88	57	.00

Rainfall for the week.....00
Rainfall for the month.....1.44
Rainfall for the year.....23.92

	'72	'73	'74	'75
Feb.	5.48	1.67	1.99	4.69
Mar.	2.70	8.64	3.89	1.11
Apr.	6.42	7.98	5.54	3.68
May	2.42	6.40	4.74	
June	1.92	3.14	2.53	
July	7.27	2.81	1.06	
Aug.	3.41	3.08	4.40	
Sept.	5.40	3.01	2.04	
Oct.	7.39	3.36	1.13	
Nov.	5.94	8.19	4.21	
Dec.	5.38	5.90	3.97	
	59.20	59.40	40.63	

Thieves take truck valued at $14,000

A truck valued at $14,000, which was stolen last week from Sikeston Motor Co., 1030 S. Main St., was among five thefts reported today by the police department.

The truck, a 1975, 14,000-pound chassis truck without a truck bed, was taken from the car lot between Thursday and Saturday.

Mildred Wilson, 204 Jaycee, told police that two men took her billfold from a purse sitting in her car while the car was parked at 226 N. West. St.

The two ran, taking a $10 bill from the billfold and then dropping the wallet.

Phil Chartrau, 615 Moore St., told police that someone took fishing gear from his patio between Thursday and Saturday. Taken were two reels valued at $30, two rods worth $40, and a child's toy worth $10.

Nine cases of five per cent beer were taken from Ralph Distributing Co., 1601 W. Malone Ave., between 8 p.m. Thursday and 7:15 a.m. Friday.

The beer was valued at $60 and damage to the office window where entry was gained was estimated at $60.

Leonard Davis, 220 S. Ingram St., told police that someone took a 12-inch black and white television, two watches and miscellaneous food stuffs all valued at $60 from his home. The theft occurred May 10, but was not reported until Friday.

Weapons, energy bill face Congress

WASHINGTON (AP) — Major bills on weapons spending and the energy crisis are before Congress this week and the Senate plans to begin a "great debate" on U.S. defense and foreign policy.

The Senate today was considering President Ford's request that Congress lift its cutoff of U.S. military aid to Turkey.

Congress cut off the aid effective last Feb. 5 because of Turkey's occupation of Cyprus, but Ford contends resumption of the aid is needed to bring hope of renewed Cyprus peace negotiations.

U.S. sends regrets

By The Associated Press

Thailand today accepted a note from the U.S. government expressing regret for the unauthorized use of Thai bases to attack Cambodia and recover the freighter Mayaguez.

The U.S. government revised the American toll in the Mayaguez operation sharply upward, announcing that five men were killed, 16 were missing and 70 to 80 were wounded. But the captain of the Mayaguez, Charles T. Miller, said in Singapore that seven dead Marines were already "on ice" when he was brought aboard the destroyer Wilson.

A senior American official reported that the Ford administration seriously considered using B52 bombers against Cambodia. The official said no one in the administration wanted to use the big bombers, but such action was a real possibility,

The Mayaguez left Singapore today for Hong Kong. The ship's owner denied a charge by Prince Norodom Sihanouk, the Cambodian chief of state, that her cargo included a large number of plastic bombs and radio-electronic equipment. A spokesman said most of the cargo consigned to U.S. military bases in Thailand was post exchange goods.

Capt. Miller and members of his crew said the U.S. Marines who were landed on an island off the Cambodian coast to rescue them were put ashore on the wrong island. Miller said he and the crew were on Rong San Lem while the Marines landed on Koh Tang, about 25 miles away. A Pentagon spokesman confirmed the wrong-island landing.

In Laos, a dozen Americans and seven other foreigners detained by students in the town of Savannakhet radioed the U.S. Embassy in Vientiane that they were safe and well. Laotian government officials were negotiating with the students who took over the town on Wednesday and ordered the foreigners to remain in their homes.

An international relief official in Saigon reported that about two dozen Americans, 150 South Koreans and 200 Filipinos who wanted to be evacuated by U.S. forces on April 29-30 were left behind. Most of them arrived at the American Embassy too late because sufficient notice was not given of the evacuation plans, the official said.

Saigon radio said there was some starvation in the South Vietnamese capital because of the influx of refugees before the Communists occupied the city. But it said the new government distributed 1,100 tons of rice to more than 220,000 persons.

The new government also announced the liberation of all political prisoners from Con Son prison island.

Thailand's acceptance of the U.S. letter of regret defused a crisis between the United States and its last ally on the Southeast Asian mainland.

The Thais had demanded an apology by Tuesday and recalled their ambassador from Washington because U.S. Marines and planes were sent without Thai permission from bases in Thailand to rescue the Mayaguez and her crew.

1 caught in armed robbery

A 16-year-old boy has been arrested and an older man is still being sought for the armed robbery Saturday morning of Kellett's Restaurant, 901 S. Main St.

Police said the robbery occurred about 6 a.m. when a customer asked for change and pulled a gun after the cashier opened the cash register.

The man, a negro male about 22, asked for change for a nickle. When Pat Evans, 23, of 314 Selma St., opened the register, the man pulled out a gun and demanded the money.

He took about $200 in bills. The man had been sitting in the restaurant for about an hour before the robbery.

A driver for Jolley Cab, Frank Bias, 103 E. Malone Ave., was outside the restaurant and saw the robbers' car pull away and followed it to Branum Street, where police officers caught and chased the car.

The man and the boy jumped out of the car in Sunset and fled on foot. The juvenile was caught by police a short time later.

Man held in shooting

NEW MADRID — Robert Taylor of New Madrid was charged this morning in Magistrate Court with felonious assault with intent to do bodily harm in connection with a shooting incident about 11:40 p.m. Saturday at the Brotherhood Club.

Taylor, who is in custody of the sheriff's department, allegedly shot Donald Graham of New Madrid once in the left shoulder with a 32-caliber pistol.

Graham was not seriously injured and was treated and released at Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston.

Burglars hit Arvin plant

DEXTER--City police are investigating a break-in which occured at approximately 8:23 p.m. Sunday at Arvin Industries plant.

Police said the thieves apparently tried to burglarize the soft drink machines but were unsuccessful.

Entry was gained through an unlocked door.



2 hurt in accident

Denise Stallman, 22, and her husband, Dennis Stallman, 23, of Matthews received serious injuries in a one-car accident at 12:44 a.m. Sunday at the Interstate 55 interchange with Highway 62 in Miner. According to the highway patrol, the southbound Stallman car skidded 241 feet across the median on I-55 and sailed 88 feet through the air down an embankment before coming to a stop in an upright position on the shoulder of Highway 62. Mrs. Stallman apparently fell asleep at the wheel. The Stallmans were taken to Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston, then transferred to Baptist Memorial Hospital in Memphis, Tenn.

(Daily Standard photo)

Accidents kill 1, injure 22

One person was killed and 22 were injured in 13 traffic accidents on area roads over the weekend, the highway patrol announced today. The fatality was the 29th on Southeast Missouri roads this year, compared to 31 at the same time last year.

Gloria Jean Swift, 19, of Charleston was killed at 4:30 p.m. Sunday in a two-car accident at the intersection of Highway 60 and an unmarked Mississippi County road two miles west of the Mississippi River bridge. She was a passenger in a car driven by John Swift Jr., 48, of Charleston.

The patrol reported the accident occurred when Swift failed to stop at a stop sign on the county road and drove his northbound vehicle into the path of an eastbound car driven by Claude Bagby, 21, of Miller City, Ill.

Bagby received minor injuries and Swift suffered serious injuries. Also receiving minor injuries were Katherine Swift, 42, and Idella Swift, 21, of Cairo, Ill., and Larane Johnson, 13, of Charleston, also passengers in the Swift car. All of the injury victims were taken to PADCO Community Hospital in Cairo.

Miss Swift's body was taken to Sparks Funeral Home in Charleston, where arrangements are incomplete.

Edward John Zoellner, 39, of Friedheim and Roy Franklin Mouser, 60, of Perryville received minor injuries in a two-vehicle accident at 1:15 p.m. Saturday at the intersection of Routes FF and BB two miles south of Biehle in Cape Girardeau County.

The accident occurred when a car driven by Mouser pulled from Route FF into the path of a car driven by Zoellner.

Mouser was taken to the Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape Girardeau, and Zoellner was taken to Perry County Hospital at Perryville.

Joyce Ann Kinder, 21, of Painton received minor injuries in a one-car accident at 4:55 a.m. Saturday on Route EE half a mile west of Chaffee.

The accident occurred when she attempted to pass another car and her vehicle ran off the left side of the road and struck a bridge.

She was treated at Southeast Missouri Hospital.

Kenneth L. Heininger, 17, of Warson Woods and Susan Beattle, 19, of St. Louis, received minor injuries and Virginia Ann Frazier, 17, of CreveCoeur received serious injuries in a one-car accident at 5:54 p.m. Saturday two miles north of Annapolis on Highway 49.

The accident occurred when Heininger apparently fell asleep at the wheel of his car, which ran off the road and struck an embankment and fence.

The injury victims were taken to St. Mary's Hospital in Ironton.

A Matthews couple received serious injuries in a one-car accident at 12:44 a.m. Sunday at the Highway 62 interchange with Interstate 55 in Miner.

The accident occurred on I-55 when Denise Stallman, 22, apparently fell asleep at the wheel and the southbound car skidded 241 feet into the median, down an embankment, then flew 88 feet through the air before landing upright on the shoulder of Highway 62.

She and a passenger, Dennis Stallman, 23, were taken to the Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston, then transferred to Baptist Memorial Hospital in Memphis, Tenn.

Bernard Crader, 18, of Glenallen received serious injuries and Kelly L. Fowler, 20, of Marble Hill received moderate injuries when a car driven by Crader ran off the road at a high rate of speed and struck a tree. The accident occurred at 3:30 a.m. Saturday on Highway 34 in the Gravel Hill community.

Both were taken to the St. Francis Hospital in Cape Girardeau.

Tim L. LaComb, 21, Kenneth Keith, 15, and Thomas Olice, 16, of Farmington received minor injuries in a one-car accident at 3:35 a.m. Saturday on Route D four miles southeast of Arcadia in Iron County.

The accident occurred when a car driven by LaComb ran off the road and struck a tree.

The injury victims were taken to St. Mary's Hospital in Ironton.

Henry Ballew Jr., 47, of Fredericktown received serious injuries and, Shelia Lynn Boatright, 8, and Sharon A. Ballew, 13, of Fredericktown received minor injuries in a single-vehicle accident at 12:40 p.m. Saturday on old Highway 67 two miles southwest of Fredericktown.

The accident occurred when Ballew lost control of the van he was driving and the vehicle struck a bridge. All were taken to Madison County Memorial Hospital in Fredericktown.

Bertis F. Wiley, 53, of Poynor received moderate injuries in a one-car accident at 1 a.m. Sunday three miles east of Poynor on Route FF in Ripley County.

The accident occurred when Wiley approached a T-intersection at a high rate of speed and ran through a stop sign and a fence and struck a tree.

Wiley was treated at the

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It's inside. . . .

A medic alert identification can save travelers lives and eliminate embarassing situations, a national organization advises, turn to .... page 10

Cindy Collom of Sikeston won a car for collecting the largest amount of pledges for the March of Dimes Walkathon, turn to .... page 4.

To learn more about fishing, turn to .... page 6

. . . . and outside

Fair to partly cloudy and unseasonably warm for tonight and Tuesday. Chance for thundershowers late Tuesday. Winds light and southerly tonight before becoming southwesterly at 8 to 15 m.p.h. on Tuesday. Lows today in the 70s and highs Tuesday in the 90s. Precipitation probalities less than 10 per cent tonight and 40 per cent Tuesday afternoon and evening.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Chance for showers Wednesday through Friday with daytime highs in the 80s Wednesday, cooling to the 70s by Friday. Nighttime highs in the 60s Wednesday and cooling to the 50s by Friday.

High and Lows

The high and low temperatures for 24-hour period ending Saturday were 75 degrees and 53 degrees. The extremes for period ending Sunday were 80 degrees and 58 degrees. The high and low temperatures for the period ending today were 88 degrees and 57 degrees.

Sunset today	8:02 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	5:47 a.m.
Moonset tomorrow	2:32 a.m.

State to tap employers for jobless funds

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Legal provisions requiring an automatic increase in the contributions employers make to support Missouri's unemployment compensation program will probably be triggered next year, possibly heading off any permanent hike in those payments.

"We strongly anticipate that that provision will go into effect in January," said Joseph Dietrich of the Division of Employment Security. It would be the first time the provision has ever been employed.

Division officials and Geoffrey McCarron, head of the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, have expressed concern about the adequacy of the unemployment compensation trust fund in light of increased benefits signed into law last month and rising unemployment.

McCarron has begun working with a number of persons in an effort to determine what steps can be taken to insure that the state's trust fund does not go broke as have the trust funds in seven other states.

Although that law carried with it provisions for increased employer contributions, those hikes will cover less than 10 per cent of the estimated cost of the new benefits.

Figures compiled by the U.S. Department of Labor in cooperation with the Interstate Conference of Employment Security Agencies placed Missouri among only 19 states that have healthy funds. That calculation, however, was made in December before the state was hit by an unusually high jobless rate and the increase in benefits.

Those figures also showed that even in December, the soundness of Missouri's fund was only better than three of those 19 states.

The fund totaled about $240 million at the end of December, Dietrich said, but declined to $187 million at the end of April. Although there have been employer contributions during that period, benefits paid out in the four months totaled nearly $70 million.

Benefit payments for the last 12 month period available, which ran through last June, totaled only $81.5 million while contributions to the fund ran $3.3 million less.

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Monday, May 19 — 1821, Inventor of sieve finds it won't hold water.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

Some people are in hot water all the time because they are poor explainers.

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NO SLOWDOWN IN ARMS AT SEA

The Soviet Union has just completed the most massive naval exercises in its history. This was a world wide effort involving more than 220 ships of all types, coordinated from naval headquarters in Moscow. According to some reports, the exercises involved simulated nuclear attacks upon the Soviets practiced anti-submarine warfare tactics and war games against U.S. carrier task forces.

Regardless of which version is correct, the point driven home by this exercise should be that the U.S. naval mission of maintaining control of the sea in order to protect our vital overseas supply lines has now been seriously challenged.

Not only is Soviet naval might growing in numbers, but her system of overseas bases may soon be greatly improved. One of the world's most magnificant natural harbors lies at Camranh Bay in South Vietnam. The Japanese Navy operated from there in World War II. It is now in the hands of the Communists, with all of its U.S. built installations intact. It would be surprising if the Soviets are not now given base rights at Camranh Bay for their Pacific Fleet. What better way could the Vietnamese Communists show their gratitude for the Soviet military support which enabled them to win the war? A base at Camranh would greatly improve the Soviet Navy's access to the Pacific and Indian Oceans.

Whatever one may think of the SALT agreements, there is no slowdown in the arms race at sea. The U.S. Navy needs all the help the taxpayers and the Congress can give it.

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A Sikeston woman had a surgical operation performed, and her husband objected to having it mentioned. "That's always the way," the wife said. "You always did object to my attracting attention." Which recalls an old story: A man was to be hanged and objected to having his wife and children present. "That's just like him," his wife said, "he never wanted us to enjoy ourselves."

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It makes no difference how innocent a man may be; if he is suspected, most of his actions are construed as signs of guilt.

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FIE ON FOOD FADS

Alarmed at the spread of food faddism among Americans, the American Dietetic Association recently issued a strong worded "position paper" warning the public that certain diets and food fads can be dangerous to health at worst and a waste of money at best.

"Members of the ADA," says the paper, "are concerned with the increasing amount of misinformation on food and nutrition in the United States with its resultant economic and nutritional exploitation of the American people. The dietetic profession is committed to informing consumers about ill-advised diets and the misleading tactics of self-proclaimed nutrition experts."

Included in the list of potential health hazards are low carbohydrate, unlimited - protein diets (such as the meat and water diet), the Zen Macrobiotic diet and self-prescription of massive vitamin doses.

The ADA also took a shot at the organic food movement, flatly labeling as false such claims as that organic fertilizers produce foods of superior nutritional value, that foods are poisoned with chemical additives and pesticides, that specific foods have miraculous curative powers and that daily vitamin, mineral and dietary supplements are necessary because current food supplies are nutritionally deficient.

Nearly all edible foods, says the ADA, may be classified as natural and health foods because they contribute nutrients to the diet and promote health when properly combined.

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When a girl helps a young man on with his coat, and his hand catches in the torn lining, he would never imagine from the sympathetic look on her face that her brothers have overcoats with torn linings, too.

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The most affectionate family we ever knew was composed of nine different members. And they lived in nine different towns.

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Latest brainchild of the Environmental Protection Agency: forcing farmers to pass a formal written test before they can use certain pesticides. Rep. Teno Roncalio (D.-Wyo.) says the new regulations are totally unnecessary. "For years farmers have been using these pesticides. Their record is good, no serious accidents, no deaths, no serious illnesses. The proposed regulations would only place an unwarranted burden on today's farmers." Roncalio has introduced legislation that would prevent EPA from carrying out the Big Brother tests.

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Back in 1968 McGeorge Bundy, former Kennedy aide who became Ford Foundation president at a fat salary, told the charitable institutions of the country their investment policies ought to be more aggressive -- meaning they should buy go-go growth stocks instead of AAA bonds. Many of the institutions that took Bundy's advice now wish they hadn't, including, perhaps, the Ford Foundation, which has recently announced it will lay off half its staff during the next three years, its endowment having shrunk from $3 to $2 billion.

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The next time a gossip starts to tell something about somebody in your presence, show your disapproval. Gossips will stop talk if their stories are not enjoyed. If people gossip in your presence, it is largely your own fault.

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In these unusual times there are pocket calculators, pocket cameras, pocket recorders - everything for the pocket but money.

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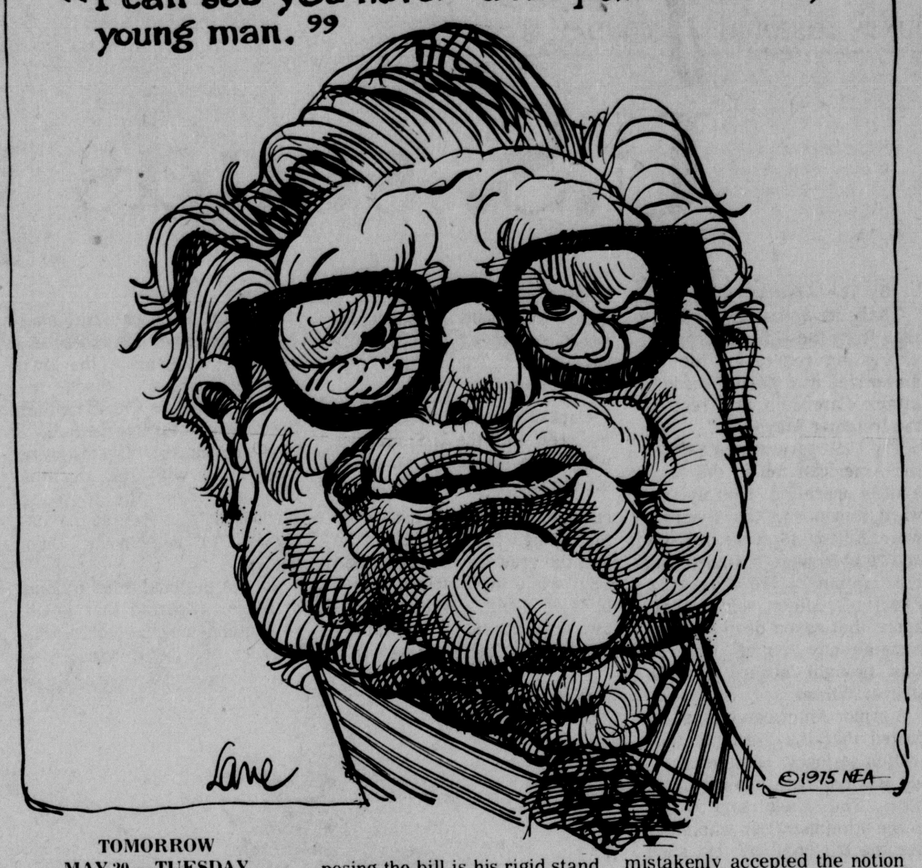
You are over the hill if a pretty girl enters the room and your hair stands up before you do.

Questioner —

"I'm disappointed you failed to speakout while the government was spending $140 billion and 50,000 lives in Vietnam."

Rockefeller —

"I can see you never ran for political office, young man."



TOMORROW

MAY 20 — TUESDAY

ELIZA DOOLITTLE DAY. May 20. Purpose: To honor Miss Doolittle (Heroine of Bernard Shaw's Pygmalion) for demonstrating the importance of speaking one's native language properly. Sponsor: Doolittle Day Development Comm., 1113 Kensington Ave., Flint, Mich. 48503.

FERRARY DAY. May 20. Purpose: To remember the day of the death of the internationally known stamp collector Philipp la Renotiere von Ferrary. Sponsor: The Ferrary Society, Clinton Corners, N.Y. 12514.

LAFAYETTE DAY. May 20. Massacchusetts.

MECKLENBURG DAY. May 20 Massachusetts.

MECKLENBURG DAY. May 20. North Carolina. Commemorates claimed signing of a declaration of independence from England by citizens of Mecklenburg County on this day, 1775.

ST. WILLIBRORD DANCING PROCESSION. May 20. Echternach, Luxembourg. Dancing procession in honor of St. Willibrord. Unique medieval religious custom. Participants do not pray but dance:3 steps forward and 2 steps backward to a haunting tune played over and over by bands. The procession moves through the narrow cobblestone streets of Echternach before entering the Basilica.

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FARM BILL VETO

President Ford vetoed the farm price support bill, as he was expected to, following the advice of Agriculture Secretary Earl Butz. The bill does not provide for radical changes in agricultural price and income-support policy. It essentially is an upward revision in the levels of farm commodity loans and target prices of the 1973 farm act.

Commodity loans would be raised closer to recent market levels in order to encourage the accumulation of larger grain reserves. The bins and elevators are dangerously low now. Secretary Butz said a few weeks ago that the President would veto the farm bill but that he, Butz, would raise commodity loan levels, as he can do on his own authority under the law.

But in vetoing the bill, the President did not ratify the Butz pledge on higher loan values. Instead, Butz said he would keep his eye on the markets and raise the loan rates later if necessary.

The bill also sets higher target prices, to $2.25 a bushel for corn as compared with the present target of $1.38. Butz has opposed this increase, because he thinks it would cost the government a lot of money. His current estimate places the cost at $1.8 billion and up to as much as $5 billion if the legislation were extended to 1976. These figures are disputable. What the government might have to pay out depends on how big the 1975 crops are, the trend of exports and other factors. If reserves are adequate after this year's harvest, the secretary could provide incentives under the law for farmers to reduce acreage next year. It would not be necessary to pay out subsidies on unlimited production.

Prices would have to sag considerably below present levels for the payment cost to rise as high as Butz puts it. Supposing it did, however, that would seem to be a useful, if small, item in the fiscal pump-priming program of the administration-in comparison with the $22 billion tax cut which Ford approved and the budget deficit which may reach $70 billion.

Butz's main reason for opposing the bill is his rigid stand on principle against government price and supply management programs. He urges farmers to go "all out" in production, because food reserves are low, but he doesn't want to offer farmers an "artificial" incentive to do so. He seems unconcerned that a big crop would bring a collapse of prices, and at present support levels, farmers would have no protection.

The Senate is likely to vote to override the veto. But the House vote will be close and may not nullify the veto. If the veto is sustained, Congress ought to try again to give farmers a reasonable shield against falling prices.

Perhaps more important from the viewpoint of the public is the need for a government grain-stabilizing reserve plan. This is in the interest of consumers to avoid wide swings in prices of food and to provide assurance against shortage. It is also important to the nation as a backstop for U.S. foreign policy-for reliability in the commercial export of grain and soybeans and for ability to provide food aid in the world.

The Ford veto of this sane and moderate farm support bill is another bad mistake in economic policy by this administration.

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INVESTING IN TOMORROW

Many consumers have mistakenly accepted the notion that promotion is a needless cost of doing business which the customer must pay. But these skeptics who downgrade an essential phase of the American business system seldom pause to consider just what can be defined as promotion, nor do they appear to comprehend its basic role in the maintenance of a high flow of goods and services to the public at minimum prices.

For example, it costs money for a service station attendant to take time to clean a customer's windshield. This goodwill gesture is more than courtesy. It is promotion to gain customer favor. Essentially, it is no different than giving trading stamps in appreciation for customer patronage. In an era of shortages, there is a temptation to applaud elimination of what are considered to be the frills of doing business. But why applaud an attrition process that in the long run hurts only the consumer? Most assuredly, where there are shortages businesses can eliminate the so-called frills of promotion and advertising. Service stations can also eliminate the courtesy of cleaning their customers' windshields or checking their oil. All of these things are among the pluses of our competitive system. Do consumers genuinely wish to see them disappear? Hardly. As time goes on, consumers will grow heartily sick of corner-cutting practices backed up by the excuse of shortages, and basic practices of the marketplace will be continued.

Promotion, advertising and courtesy to customers are fundamental to the success of any enterprise. In the capitalistic system, these pluses of business constitute a maxim that the wise merchant never forgets. And the wise merchant in a period of shortages will have the foresight to keep his public relations in good repair. Consumerists and the public alike should commend him fordoing so. The investment he makes in promotion today is the best possible contribution to a storng production and distribution system tomorrow.

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The moon affects the tide . . . and the untied

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Only an echo can have the last word with some people.

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Man is mentioned in the Bible 4,332 times while woman is mentioned only 536 times. This seems to bear out the fact that men wrote it.

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SENATE'S FEAST FOR ROAD HOGS

The big trucks have rumbled through the Missouri Senate like Grant took Richmond. Only seven senators stood up agains t the onslaught by the trucking lobby; 24 others caved in and voted to allow longer and heavier trucks on state roads despite warnings that the measure is selfish trucking-interest legislation and a safety hazard.

Unless the House prevails and ditches this proposal, or unless Gov. Christopher S. Bond has the good sense to veto the ill-advised legislation, the road-hogging trucks could be lumbering over Missouri highways almost any day now. The bill contains an emergency clause that would make it effective upon fiinal approval by the Legislature and the governor.

And forwhat purpose? To serve the trucking industry at the expense of the vast majority of other highway users.

Officials of the Missouri Highway Department say that the 10 per cent increase in truck license fees for heavier trucks provided in the bill will not pay for increased road damage that the bigger trucks are expected to cause. The department estimates maintenance costs would be up $27 million a year.

There is also the very grave matter of highway safety. Heavier and longer trucks will mean more accidents, the Automobile Club of Missouri charges in its opposition to the bill to increase the maximum truck length allowed from 55 to 60 feet, and the maximum weight from 72,000 to 80,000 pounds.

Proponents of the measure contend that since Congress recently voted to allow bigger trucks on interstate highways, Missouri should do the same. Just because there was a congressional sellout to truck lobbyists, is that any reason for state legislators to act irresponsible of the public interest? Besides, an effort is being made in Congress to repeal the federal bill.

The public's view was well-expressed by Sen. Frank Bild, Concord Village Republican, when he said he would "much prefer to be on the cautious side protecting regular auto motorists" than providing a questionable advantage to truckers. And by Democratic Sen. William B. Waters of Liberty who said that although highways are forthe benefit of the traveling public and truckers, "the scales have been tilted rather radically by this legislation" in favor of truckers.

In the balance, the bill weighs heavily against the public.

-Globe-Democrat

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According to a report of social security account numbers, the most common names for women are, in the order of popularity: Mary, Dorothy, Helen, Margaret, Ruth, Betty, Elizabeth, Anna, Mildred, and Frances.

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Our higher standards of living are not restricted to the people in this country. Dog food manufacturers say that the canines have it better today than they have ever had it. As a consequence the dog population is growing much faster than the human population, and many families are having two dogs in the house as well as two cars in the driveway.

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TRAGIC WASTE

With the Merchant Marine Act of 1970, the U.S. undertook the greatest merchant ship building effort in history, calling for the construction of 300 revolutionary, high-technology ships over a 10-year period. To the U.S., dependent for many essentias on trade with other nations, the strengthening of our merchant fleet was a logical and necessary action.

The problem is that in the midst of this program to upgrade the U.S. Merchant Marine policies ensuring the availability of cargoes to fill these ships never materialized. As a result, ourmaritime industry cannot compete on an equal basis with foreign liners which come into our ports, undercutting their American competitors in some cases by 50 percent or more and pushing them out of the market. That the American government should give first priority to foreign ships when the U.S. merchant fleet is standing by with superior technology and expertise at its command is outrageous. The advantages of "shipping American" are many. Two important ones are noted by a key spokesman for the American Institute of Merchant Shipping when he says such a policy would "...protect our trade and alleviate our national balance of payments deficits."

A first step in building use of U.S. vessels would be to update the Shipping Act of 1916 which prohibits U.S. ships from competing on an equal footing with foreign vessels. We cannot expect to hold our own in the world marketplace unless new legislation is drawn up requiring an annul review of our foreign trading partners' competitive practices, pointing out those which are unfair, and outlining corrective steps to protect U.S. interests.

In the final analysis, it is obviously ridiculous to build a new, high-technology merchant fleet, such as ours, and then discourage maximum use of that valuable national asset. Unless this country likes the thought of cutting its own throat, those who use ocean shipping to move cargoes overseas, including the federal government,should seriously reconsider their policies and begin patronizing ships of the U.S. Merchant Marine whenever possible.

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The average American is a man who works hard all winter to fill his home with comforts and conveniences, and then spends his summer in a trailer, fishing boat, or mountain shack with few comforts and conveniences.

Inside Labor
By Victor Riesel

Downing Scalpels: Doctors Strike Crossing U.S. as N. Y., Physicians Prepare for Mass June 1 Walkout

NEW YORK — This malpractice insurance crisis isn't really the doctors' dilemma. They'll make out -- even if they go out on strike across most of the nation in protest against annual insurance premiums rocketing from $22,000 to $45,000 each. And in this teeming polyglot megalopolis, with impoverished ghettos, each as big as many cities -- the physicians and surgeons plan to down their stethoscopes and scalpels beginning June 1. And the anesthetists will do their sleep thing only in virtually lethal emergencies.

And, after July 1, if there is no revised reasonable malpractice insurance law to constrain the ambulance-chasing lawyers and avaricious insurance firms, there will be practically no medical care or functioning hospitals for some eight million people.

Thus this is a peoples' crisis. The turmoil -- whipped up by dispatches from the California doctors strike front -- has covered the real issues and significance of the malpractice maelstrom.

First, it seems to me there should be educational tests for juries and perhaps some jurists. There was one jury here which was set to award a young woman almost a million dollars against a doctor who had handled her at childbirth some 20 years ago. She's legally blind now. But the physician treated her as he believed he should have by the medical standards of the mid-'50s. Should he then be wiped out financially by this kind of emotional anti-establishment sentiment? She'd have gotten the million dollars if she hadn't settled out of court for some $180,000.

Furthere, the cost of gargantuan malpractice insurance premiums will be passed on to Blue Cross, Medicaid and medicare. So eventually it will be lumped onto the taxpayer's back by the hundreds of millions of dollars annually.

Futher, slowdowns and stoppages as threatened here on June and July 1 will affect the schooling of new doctors. Even a delay in the graduation of a single young medic hurts this nation.

It's not generally realized there are but 300,000 active doctors throughout the land -- and only some 200,000 actually practice. Thus if there is any delay in the "graduation" of the 350 medical students at the huge Mount Sinai Medical School, for example, somewhere someday some family may suffer and someone may die.

Thus a malpractice strike here affects the nation. The doctors have warned they will stop sending their patients to New York hospitals beginning June 1. And they will phase out the patients already hospitalized. The anesthetists are with the physicians. There will be nothing but emergency surgery -- like someone picked up from under a truck.

Since these doctors are the "attending" ones, their absence will affect the interns and residents. Each of the latter must be supervised by an attending physician. So gradually even the interns and residents will not be able to help the sick.

Of course Mount Sinai's full-time teaching doctors could keep the hospital itself going -- at a limp -- but still functioning. But they too, have warned they'll strike in solidarity with the attending physicians. So classes will close. As must the hospital eventually if there is no malpractice insurance reform.

Further, some hospitals may shut their doors permanently. Eight-five per cent occupancy is needed to stay solvent week by week. A month-long physicians strike, beginning July 1 when the current malpractice insurance policies expire and the doctors refuse to pay increases of up to 600 per cent, will bankrupt many hospitals.

But what of the 125,000 employees here -- the nurses and technicians and maintenance staffs? Well, the Lague of Volunary Hospitals has already dispatched letters to Leon Davis, leader of the militant (Martin Luther King, Jr., union) District 1199 and to the registered nurses association warning of swift layoffs after June 1. Union officials tell me "there'll be hell to pay if our people are furloughed or their work week cut."

Of course there's a chance the state legislature will do what the Michigan Solons did -- pass a control act capping insurance premiums and invoking other devices to save the medical services. But the New York legislature is loaded with lawyers who have a class and wallet solidarity almost unique. Further, the key legislators aren't really talking to each other.

So most likely there'll be a slowdown in and shutdown of huge New York hospitals. This could have national political reperdussions. For, it will put Democratic presidential hopeful Gov. Hugh Carey on the spot, as the February 1968 New York city garbage strike dumped Nelson Rockefeller out of the running in the '60s.

Further, what is not being fully weighed is the fact that the men in white, the medical profession, are acting like men in denim. They're striking whole cities. Labor history and the nation have turned another corner. That was the last bastion of unfettered professionalism. Now watch this medical militancy sweep the nation.

Washington Merry-Go-Round
By Jack Anderson

By JACK ANDERSON with Les Whitten

WASHINGTON--One of President Ford's pet projects has turned into a thorn patch full of prickly problems.

Before he became President last year, he pushed through a $2.2 million program to fight drug and alcohol abuse. He personally prodded federal officials to fund the money to a private citizens council supposedly to educate state legislators on the evils of drugs and booze.

The council, it turned out, was headed by one of Ford's longtime acquaintances, Jerris Leonard. To the astonishment of officials, Leonard appeared at Ford's side, beaming benignly, while the then-Vice President made his $2.2 million pitch.

The confidential minutes of the meeting tell the story. "The Vice President (made) it clear," declare the minutes, "that he had an interest in the specific grant proposal which came about at his own insistence."

The $2.2 million grant, Ford contended, would improve "communications between federal officials and state legislatures." The expectant contractor listened approvingly.

There was nothing wrong with the communications, meanwhile, between Ford and the officials. They fully understood that the Vice President wanted the $2.2 million grant to go to his friend Leonard. One top official, although he held his tongue at the meeting, intended to tell Ford to his face that the proposal was "lousy."

The $2.2 million was supposed to be squeezed out of various government agencies, with the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration (LEAA) coughing up the first $100,000.

This raised another conflict, since the anticipated recipient formerly headed the LEAA. If Leonard accepted the $100,000, the erstwhile LEAA chief would be confronted with an ethical if not legal problem.

His successor at the LEAA, Don Santarelli, was disturbed over the conflict. After the session ended, according to a confidential memo, Santarelli told another official that he planned to tell Ford the proposal was "lousy."

But "Mr. Santarelli said he did not plan to mention to the Vice President his other concern...a possible conflict of interest in LEAA support for this proposal," the memo adds.

"His reference is to what he refers to as correspondence from Jerris Leonard on such a proposal less than one year after Jerris left the LEAA position."

In the end, Santarelli refused to allow LEAA funds to be used for the Leonard project. But the National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, whose director Morris Chafetz has been under FBI investigation for expense account chiseling, was less scrupulous.

Chafetz not only provided funds but assigned a bright official, Robert Beauregard, to push the project. In compliance with the law, Beauregard organized a review panel to study it. He promptly helped appoint one of Leonard's political pals, Robert Knowles, to help review Leonard's contract.

Both Leonard and Knowles are powers in Wisconsin politics. Leonard once ran for the U.S. Senate in Wisconsin, and Knowles was president pro tem of the Wisconsin Senate.

Not surprisingly, the project was cheerfully approved by the review panel, which also selected Wisconsin as one of the first states to participate. But a special advisory council still had to give final approval.

None other than the ubiquitous Robert Knowles emerged as the advisory chairman, with Robert Beauregard as the sole consultant. It turned out that Beauregard had quit his government job and had signed on as a $250-a-day consultant for the project he had helped to establish.

When we asked the irrepressible Leonard about this garden of conflicts, he cooed happily: "I am so clean." He had been off the LEAA payroll the required year, he swore, before seeking the LEAA grant.

Knowles told us he was paid nothing for his service. Initially, he hadn't wanted to choose Wisconsin as one of the first states to benefit from the grant, he said.

Beauregard said he saw no conflict in accepting a consultant's fee from the same project he had supervised while he was on the government payroll.

As for President Ford, he started the wheels rolling for his old friend Leonard and then, apparently, lost touch with the while thing.

WASHINGTON WHIRL: President Ford, who is about to step into Henry Kissinger's shoes and resume personal diplomacy in the Middle East, has been told forcibly by advisers that no Arab-Israeli agreement is possible without Soviet support. He is optimistic, however, that he can sell the Kremlin on a joint Soviet-American settlement....Secretary of State Kissinger was so preoccupied with the Middle East a year ago that he didn't get around to reviewing the ramifications of India's nuclear explosion for six months. In the meantime, intelligence reports warned that several nations had gone ahead with the development of nuclear weapons. Now belatedly, Kissinger is urgently trying to tighten the nuclear non-proliferation treaty....

The FBI still hasn't been able to locate the elusive Patty Hearst. For more than a month, according to our FBI sources, the G-men haven't picked up a warm clue. Patty has been able to elude them, they believe, because only a tiny, tight circle knows her exact whereabouts.

Daily record

HOSPITAL NOTES
MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY
CENSUS REPORT

May 19, 1975

Area	Total Beds	Patients	Reserved Emer. Beds	Gen. Adm. Beds
Med.-Surg.	141	102	6	33
Pediatrics	23	6	0	17
Obstetrics	14	10	0	4
Intensive Care	7	7	0	0

Patients scheduled for admission today—7

MISSOURI DELTA

Released:
Annie Hedges, Charleston
Alice Stout, Sikeston
Roxannie Bray, Sikeston
Myra Doss, Sikeston
Jim Burris, Sikeston
Nora Northern, Sikeston
Leo Glasner, Morehouse
Ardianne Vollerstein, Sikeston
Imogene Culbertson, Sikeston
Thresa Wrzensinski, Charleston
Raymond Myrick, Matthews
Floyd Hockersmith, East Prairie
Nina Wyrick, Sikeston
Agnes Kestler, Sikeston
Melinda Ables and baby girl, Sikeston
Buler Brewer, Lilbourn
Betty Weems, Charleston
Francesl Hoesli, Charleston
Virginia Pabost, Sikeston
Freda Truesdale, Vanduser
Gracin Fisher, Morehouse
Beulah Odum, Sikeston
Carol Stuart, East Prairie
Bertie Chaney, Vanduser
Blanch Breeden and baby girl, Sikeston
Carolyn Williams, Kewanee
Willie Eckles, Sikeston
William Brown, Wyatt
Brenda K. Lape, Sikeston
Martha Nelson and baby girl, East Prairie
Elsie Gilliland, Sikeston
Daniel Kinder, Morehouse
Linda L. Ellison, Sikeston
Gary Harmon, Sikeston
Cleo C. Robertson, Sikeston
Ruby Crowden, Sikeston
Sharon Mills, Vanduser
Esther Watkins, Sikeston
William Watkins, Sikeston
Kenneth Nickens, Sikeston
Billy McClain, Oran
Ruben Hopkins, Bloomfield
Marilyn Stobaugh, Sikeston
Elizabeth Lattimore, Sikeston
LaDonna J. Greer, New Madrid
David Austin, Charleston
Mrs. Margaret Baker and baby boy, Cape Girardeau
Shan Nabors, Sikeston
William H. Daivs, Sikeston
Beverly Wright, Sikeston

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL

Admitted:
Annette Griffin, Caruthersville
Claude Howard, Caruthersville
Bertha White, Caruthersville
Fern Lovelady, Steele
Stella Griffin, Steele
Lloyd Crowell, Hayti
Judy Watson, Hayti
Caldrice Willowby, Wardell
Sue Chambers, Portageville
Released:
Gloria Smith, Caruthersville
Charles Bryson, Caruthersville
Rube Malone, Caruthersville
Lisa Thompson, Steele
Harrison Lovelady, Steele
Robert Vinson, Steele
Clay Price, Hayti
Patricia Smith, Marston

DEXTER MEMORIAL

Admitted:
Carolyn Randall, Dexter
Effie McCanish, Dexter
Oliver Jackson, Canalou
Delcie Hector, Risco
Donna Rey, Puxico
Dannie Kilgore, Malden
Deloris Underwood, Dexter
Zelma Johnson, Dexter
Alene Black, Clarkton
Ray Lucas, Bernie
Carol Long, Dexter
Brenda Russell, Gideon
Released:
Frederick Barnes, Portageville
Mildred Smith, Dexter
Mary Cummins, Sikeston
Verna Crowder, Malden
Florcie Bridges, Bernie
Carolyn Brake, Broseley

CHAFFEE GENERAL

Admitted:
Harold Boese, Chaffee
Billy Boley, Bell City
Raymond Diebold, Chaffee
John Kaiser, Jackson
Jay Leadendy, Jackson
Thomas Mace, Parma
Gregg Porter, Benton
Ergsie Propst, Millersville
Michael Dooley, Chaffee
Mark Martin, Cape Girardeau
Marion Meyers, Lutesville
Marily n Summers, Marbel Hill
Released:
Rodney Abernathy, Marble Hill
Velma Cook, Lutesville
Glen Glueck, Chaffee
Ethel Orcett, Marble Hill

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI

Released:
Kevin Carter, Charleston
Mrs. Harold Hill, Illmo
Mrs. Mary L. Johnson, Scott City
Mrs. Florence Schatz, Bloomfield
Mrs. RAy Anderson, New Madrid
Herman Andrews, Scott City
Jack R. Markham, Advance
William Morris, Charleston
Douglas A. Steward, Puxico
Mrs. Garlan Summers, Malden
Everett Vinson, Poplar Bluff
Thomas M. Wilks, Charleston
Mrs. Bryan Viets. East Prairie

ST. FRANCIS

Released:
Mrs. Virginia E. Asher, Illmo
Glenn E. Dodson, Illmo
Mrs. Mabel M. Johnson, Advance
Mrs. Ruth McClard, Bloomfield
Mrs. Betty Emerson, Morley
Mrs. Mary Ruth, Bloomfield
Mrs. Ida Uthoff, Charleston

GRAIN MARKET

Opening Board of Trade

CHICAGO (AP) — Grain and Soybean futures prices opened lower on the Chicago Board of ke unv

On the opening, wheat was 1¼ to 1¾ cents a bushel lower9a' 510½; corn was 1 to 2 lower, May 2.71; oats were unchanged to 2¾ lower, May 1.78 and soybeans were 1 to 7 lower, May 5.21.

MISSISSIPPI RIVER STAGES

	Flood	Now	Chg.
Chester	27	25.1	-.05
Cape Girardeau	32	30.0	-1.0
New Madrid	34	28.2	-1.1
Caruthersville	32	28.4	-1.1

FORECAST

At Chester the river will fall .06 Tuesday; fall .06 Wednesday; and fall .06 Thursday.

At Cape Girardeau the river will fall .05 Tuesday; fall .06 Wednesday; and fall .06 Thursday.

At New Madrid the river will fall .06 Tuesday; fall .03 Wednesday; and remain the same on Thursday.

At Caruthersville the river will fall 1.1 Tuesday; fall .06 Wednesday; and fall .04 Thursday.

OHIO RIVER STAGES

	Flood	Now	Chg.
Golconda	40	21.6	+.03
Paducah	39	25.4	-.03
Grand Chain	42	36.0	-.06
Cairo	40	37.0	-.06

FORECAST

At Golconda the river will rise .08 Tuesday; rise .03 Wednesday; and rise .03 Thursday.

At Paducah the river will fall .02 Tuesday; rise .05 Wednesday; and fall .04 Thursday.

At Grand Chain the river will no information available.

At Cairo the river will fall .03 Tuesday; will remain the same on Wednesday and Thursday.

LOCAL STOCKS

	BID	ASK
1st Nat Bk of Sik	5¾	6½
Anheuser Busch	37⅝	38¼
Bk Bldg & Equip	12⅝	13⅛
Chase Nat	10½	11½
Clinton Oil	2	2¼
Martha Manning	1½	2¼
Olson Bros	1	1¾
Pabst Brewing	30⅝	31⅛
Scottish Inns	1⅛	1⅝
Wetterau	15½	16

LISTED STOCKS

Allied Stores	29⅞
American Tel & Tel	50¼
American Motors	5⅝
Chrysler	11⅜
Columbia Gas	26⅛
Eaton Mfg	25¾
Ford Motors	38⅜
General Motors	45½
Interstate Brands	9¾
Malone & Hyde	24⅞
MidSouth Util	13⅜
J. C. Penney	58¾
New England Elect	17⅞
Occidental Pet	16
WalMart Stores	19⅜

EDITOR'S NOTE: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer. These are listings at the close of the previous market.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum, Registered Representative for Rowland and Co. 1405 East Malone. Phone 471-5350.

EMERGENCY PATIENTS

Accident patients treated and released over the weekend in the emergency room at Missouri Delta Community Hospital were:

Friday — Robert Cook, 15, Parma, cut hand in fall; James Brown Jr., 34, Parma, foreign object in eye; Gerald Davis, 17, Matthews, hit head on rock; David Pearson, 23, Sikeston, cut hand; Bobby DeMay, 39, East Prairie, fractured right knee; James Cantrell III, 15, Blodgett, scratched and bruised elbow in fall from bicycle; Charles Hurley, 69, Charleston, fractured ribs; Robert Horton, 25, Sikeston, sprained left knee and ankle; Richard Henry, 16, Charleston, fractured ankle.

Iva Brown, 70, Sikeston, muscle strain in car accident; Frank Hooser, 42, Portageville, multiple cuts.

Tim Adkisson, 17, East Prairie, strained right elbow while throwing ball; Donald Mason Jr., 7, Sikeston, cut hand in fall; James Dodd, 43, Sikeston, can fall on hand; Robbie Tripp, 7, East Prairie, fractured bone in forearm; Robert Mothershead, 15, Benton, insect in ear; Chris Lewis, 6, Lilbourn, fractured forearm in fall; and James Taylor, 10, East Prairie, cut left leg when bicycle ran into truck.

Saturday — Johnny Clifton, 32, Sulligent, Ala., cut forehead; Lester Carter, 26, Sikeston, hurt hand at work; David Long; 27, Parma, fish hook in finger; William Mitchem 17, Lilbourn, cut head on can; Mearl Welch, 36, Advance, fractured right foot; Robert Perry, 19, Charleston, cut finger; Harry Goodin, 8, Charleston, tick in right eye; Mae Tucker, 58, Sikeston, multiple bruises to arm and leg in fall; Claude Old, 21, Sikeston, muscle strain; Sheila Pigg, 15, Sikeston, cut hand on glass; Debby Brown, 20, Sikeston, bruised jaw; Randy Hopper, 10, Sikeston, hurt foot.

Tammy Hendrix , 5, Sikeston swallowed penny; Leroy Matthews, 41, East Prairie, cut and multiple bruises to head in fall; Michael Bray, 11, Sikeston, puncture wound in left foot; George Orr, 18, Morehouse, cut right ear; Leonard Holyfield, 67, Lilbourn, puncture wound in hand; Carl Simplins Sr., 52, East Prairie, first and second degree burns on back when radiator blew up; Anthony Robinson, 7, Sikeston, bruised knee when truck ran over leg; James Payne, 13, Sikeston, multiple scratches and bruises in fall from car hood; Kim Sargent, 12, Sikeston, cut foot; James Bettis, 2 months, Vanduser, fell down steps; and Adrea Beetis, 20, Vanduser, fell down steps.

Sunday — Charles Smith, 17, Sikeston, second-degree burn to hand and arm at work, Michael Berry, 3, Bertrand, bit by dog; Glenn Matthews III, 4, Sikeston, head injury in fall on concrete; Susan Askew, 9, East P rairie, fell on glass; Denise Stallman, 22, Matthews, serious injuries in car accident; Roy Rhodes, 9, Lilbourn, fishhook in ear lobe; Christopher Latham, 3, Sikeston, shot in head with BB gun; Derreck Darter, 1, Sikeston knocked tooth out in fall; William Dowell, 10 months, Westville, Fla., fell; John Hosentfeld, 7, East Prairie, fell; Eddie Beavers 22, Lilbourn, cut leg on car door; and Aniel Ross, 5, Sikeston, cut foot.

ARRESTS

Richard Edward Johnson, St. Louis, public intoxication.

Willis Albert Layton, Bloomfield, no driver's license.

Police radar traps caught the following people speeding:

Cleveland Mosby, 323 Petty St.; Maria Y. Ray, Benton Route One; James Orville Starr, Route One; Jeffery Allen Baker, 803 Pine St.; John Dee Ray, Box 214; Frank Williams Jr., 703 Washington St.; Terry Allen Standridge, Route Two; Joseph B. Jorden, Morley; Patrick Dean Voelker, 800 N. Kingshighway.

Edward Dwaine Gates, 420 Missouri St.; Paula Kay Crocker, 105 Adams St.; James Edward Cloud, 202 Branum Ave.; Eldon Ziegenhorn, 1005 N. Kingshighway; Robert N. Cobert N. Cobb, 405 Broadway Ave.; Theordore A. Elliott, 608 Holly Hill Drive; James E. Brewer, Benton Route One; James Gregory Plunk, Morehouse; and Roberta Cutter, 419 Cole St.

Other arrests include:

Wayne Lee Harris, Route Three, careless and imprudent driving; William A. Dock, Route Two, ran stop light; Gloria Faye Marshall, 208 Dixie St., petit larceny at Penneys;

Lawrence Dean Garner, 412 Crowe Place, petit larceny at Cyrus Motel and no city sticker; and Dale Forbis, Route Four, ran stop sign.

FIRE

Fire damaged the Gay Carter home, in Vanduser Sunday afternoon.

Sikeston and Vanduser firemen were called shortly before 1 p.m. when the fire apparently broke out in wiring in the second floor.

Firemen said there was considerable damage to the second floor.

WEATHER ELSEWHERE

By The Associated Press .. Monday

	Hi	LO	PRC	otlk
Albany	76	54		clr
Albu'que	78	51		cdy
Amarillo	87	55	.02	cdy
Anchorage	58	44		clr
Asheville	75	55	.05	clr
Atlanta	79	58		clr
Birmingham	83	58		clr
Bismarck	81	45	.05	cdy
Boise	78	52		cdy
Boston	74	56		cdy
Brownsville	88	74		cdy
Buffalo	75	60		clr
Charleston	86	70	.01	clr
Charlotte	78	60		clr
Chicago	84	63		clr
Cincinnati	83	53		clr
Cleveland	77	61		clr
Denver	76	50		cdy
Des Moines	90	69		cdy
Detroit	81	55		cdy
Duluth	76	52		cdy
Fairbanks	48	37		M
Fort Worth	89	71		cdy
Green Bay	83	55	.24	cdy
Helena	69	42		rn
Honolulu	85	72		clr
Houston	83	72		cdy
Ind'apolis	83	55		clr
Jacks'ville	87	65		clr
Juneau	54	41		M
Kansas City	88	72		cdy
Las Vegas	89	65		clr
Little Rock	87	64		clr
Los Angeles	69	57		cdy
Louisville	82	58		cdy
Marquette	80	46		cdy
Memphis	85	68		clr
Miami	88	72	.02	cdy
Milwaukee	83	50		cdy
Mpls-St. P.	83	62	.04	cdy
New Orleans	84	64		clr
New York	74	59		clr
Okla. City	85	62	.20	cdy
Omaha	90	69		cdy
Orlando	91	65		cdy
Philad'phia	68	56		clr
Phoenix	91	67		clr
Pittsburgh	73	52		clr
P'tland Ore.	66	44		rn
Rapid City	88	49		cdy
Richmond	71	65	.09	clr
St. Louis	85	65		clr
Salt Lake	75	54		cdy
San Diego	70	59		cdy
San Fran	58	52		clr
Seattle	59	39		rn
Spokane	63	36		rn
Tampa	88	69		clr
Washington	76	65		clr

Hi—Previous day's high.
Lo—This morning's low.
Prc—Precipitation foc 24 hours ending 8 a.m. today Eastern time.
Otlk—Sky conditions outlook for today.

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Quotations for Monday: Cattle 2,300. Slaughter steers and heifers 50-1.00 higher than early last week. Slaughter cows uneven, averaging steady. Feeder cattle and calves not established as most to be carried over for auction later this week. Slaughter steers choice relatively high dressing 1050-1090 lb 50.00; choice 950-1200 lb 48.00-49.00; mixed good and choice 900-1150 lb 47.00-48.00; good 42.00-46.50. Slaughter heifers choice 850-1050 lb 46.00-47.00; mixed good and choice 800-1000 lb 44.50-46.00; good 750-900 lb 40.00-44.00. Slaughter cows utility and few commercial 23.00-26.00, high dressing 26.50.

Hogs 2,000. Barrows and gilts steady to 25 lower; 1-2 210-230 lb 48.25; 1-3 200-250 lb 47.50-48.00; 2-4 250-260 lb unevenly 46.50-47.50; 260-280 lb 45.25-46.75; 280-310 lb 44.75-45.50; few lots 320-340 lb 44.00-44.50. Sows 25-75 higher; 1-3 350-495 lb 40.75-41.50; 500-650 lb 41.50-42.00.

Sheep 75. All classes steady. Spring slaughter lambs choice and prime 80-107 lb 49.00-50.50; old crop slaughter lambs choice and some prime 90-107 lb 43.00-47.50. Slaughter ewes cull through good usually shorn 7.00-11.00.

Estimates for Tuesday; cattle 1,200; hogs 2,000; sheep 75.

Foreign Oversight

As late as 1939 there were no speed limits on British roads except in congested areas, a fact that caused some embarassment when a British auto club came to America for a well-publicized motor tour. On their very first day, the visitors ran afoul of New Jersey patrolmen who pulled them over for cruising at speeds of 80 and 90 miles an hour.

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President to sign bill

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Ford is expected to sign the $405 million refugee-aid bill to help resettle more than 100,000 Vietnamese and Cambodian refugees and to appoint a committee to direct that effort.

Meanwhile, both supporters and opponents of the strip-mining control bill are predicting that Ford will veto it, just as he did a similar bill last year.

While Ford hasn't said whether he'll veto the strip-mining bill, Federal Energy Administrator Frank G. Zarb and other administration officials have expressed opposition to it.

The bill imposes national environmental curbs on coal strip mining, which accounts for half of all coal produced in the United States.

The measure also requires coal operators to restore land to productive use after mining is completed and would levy a tax of up to 35 cents a ton of coal to clean up thousands of acres of abandoned strip-mining excavations, most of them in Appalachia.

The House earlier this month approved the bill 293 to 115, or 21 votes more than the two-thirds that would be needed to override another veto if the same number of congressmen were voting. The Senate passed it by voice vote.

Ford's veto of the 1974 strip-mining measure did not come up for a congressional test because the President used a pocket veto, returning the bill to Congress after the lawmakers had recessed in December.

Restaurant destroyed by fire

MALDEN — Fire gutted the Smoke House Restaurant on Highway 25 North in Malden early Friday morning, leaving only a shell of three walls standing.

According to assistant fire chief Willard Rogers, the Malden Fire Department received the call at 1:35 a.m. and trucks from both the Malden Air Base and the downtown station answered the call.

Cause of the fire is not yet known. The establishment closed at 9:30 Friday night with all equipment working normally.

Firemen fought the blaze until 5 a.m. Friday with both pumpers pouring water onto the blaze for over three hours.

The building was owned by Clarence Kilmer.

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State birth rate shows increase

JEFFERSON CITUY, Mo. (AP) — The number of births in Missouri increased somewhate in January of this year as compared with the same period in 1974, according to figures reported by the Missouri Center for Health Statistics.

There were an estimated 6,343 births during the first month of this year—a rate of 16.1 per cent for each 1,000 population.

In January of 1974, there were 6,101 births, which computes into a rate of 15.0 per cent per thousand.

During the 12 months ending with January, there were 69,898 births in Missouri, a 2.1 per cent increase over the 68,433 births in the comparable period a year earlier. But the figrues are 3.6 per cent below the 1973 birth total of 72,417.

Two Lilbourn students receive honors

LILBOURN — Brenda Lancaster has been named valedictorian of the 1975 graduating class at Lilbourn High School. Brenda Highland is salutatorian.

Miss Lancaster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lancaster, earned a 10.45 grade point average from a possible 11 points. During high school, she has been a member of the band for four years, majorette for three years, head majorette two years, and Beta Club member for four years. She served Beta club as vice president and as president.

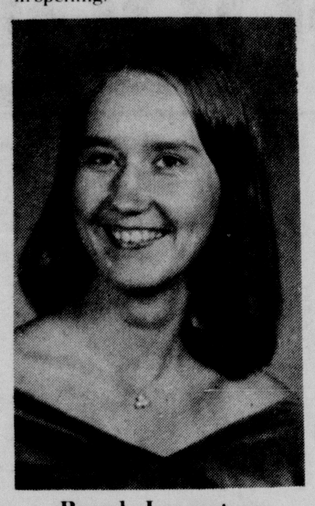
Other activities include Future Homemakers of America, member for two years and vice president one year; Future Business Leaders of America, president one year; yearbook staff one year; and junior-senior play.

Her honors include selection to the Society of Outstanding American High School Students for two years, and awards in biology, advanced biology, English III, French, communication skills, general office practice, third place in state machine transcription contest, member of first place state spelling contest team.

Miss Highland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Highland, won her honors with a grade point average of 10.15.

She has been on the honor roll all four years of high school and received three perfect attendance awards. Her awards include French I, French II, French II, English I, Home Economics I. She was president of Future Homemakers of America, member of Beta Club and Future Business Leaders of America and was elected to Who's Who Among American High School students during her junior year.

At the FBLA district contest this year she placed second in machine transcription and fifth in spelling.



Brenda Lancaster



Brenda Highland



Local girl wins a car

Cindy Collom, right, of Sikeston won a 1952 Oldsmobile for collecting the highest amount of pledges for the third annual March of Dimes walkathon April 26 at Cape Girardeau. The car was donated by Ray Bennett, of Cape Girardeau, center. Also present as the car was presented to Miss Collom was Shirley Sullins, board member of the Southeast Missouri Chapter of the March of Dimes.

March of Dimes pledges go over $1,000 for walk

CAPE GIRARDEAU--Cindy Collom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collom of 910 Moore Ave., Sikeston, won a 1952 Oldsmobile, the top award given for the third annual March of Dimes walkathon on April 26 in Cape Girardeau.

Miss Collom won the automobile by collecting the largest amount of pledges for the walkathon, which was sponsored by the Southeast Missouri Chapter of the March of Dimes. The car was donated for the event by Ray Bennett of Cape Girardeau, owner of Cape Volkswagen.

Placing second for the largest amount of pledges was Nancy Harrison of Cape Girardeau, who won a weekend for two at Howard Johnson's. Randy Davis of Patton earned a one-week membership at Cosmopolitan Spa by placing third, and Cindy Baer of Perryville won a pair of jog shoes for placing fourth.

Michael L. Richey of Cape Girardeau was presented a dinner for two at Nickerson Farmers for being the oldest walker. The youngest walker was Rickey Colbert of Sikeston, who received a gift certificate from Shivelbines.

Winners of drawings for tickets to Esquire Theater were Ron Dye of Sikeston, Jessie Brown of Piedmont, Patty Goodman of Illmo, Lana Hailey of Chaffee, Nancy Friedrich of Jackson, William Watson of Charleston and Elizabeth Hagan, Carla Allen, Shelia Smiley and Diana Ruester of Cape Girardeau.

Melba Gilliland of Sikeston, Kevin Dumey of Scott City and Tracy Buchhett of Chaffee were winners of tickets to Skate World in Sikeston.

In a drawing for puppies, winners were Thomas Smith of Patton, Sherry Laseter of Sikeston and Susan Eftink of Kelso.

The last walker in was Moe Tobin of Cape Girardeau.

Kelly High School of Benton was named the school with the most walkers per enrollment, and a trophy was presented to the student council.

The first counting of pledges following the event amounted to $7,979.58.

May is month for car care

JEFFERSON CITY — Col. Sam. S. Smith, superintendent of the Missouri Highway Patrol, today urged motorists to have their vehicles safety checked before taking a trip over the Memorial Day holiday weekend.

Speaking in connection with the current observance of Car Care Month in Missouri, Col. Smith said, "The upcoming Memorial Day weekend affords a good opportunity for motorists to begin a periodic vehicle inspection program of their own. Prior to that holiday trip, they should have their vehicles' vital safety items checked and have any defects corrected. Then they should make it a point to have their vehicles checked periodically through the summer and during the months that follow. The development of an inspection program of their own will give them the satisfaction of knowing that their vehicles are in safe operating condition and that they have made the first step toward safer driving."

Rate increase is suspended

JEFFERSON CITY — Rate changes proposed by Southwestern Bell Telephone Company for switching systems and related equipment used by businesses and other organizations have been suspended for investigation by the Missouri Public Service Commission.

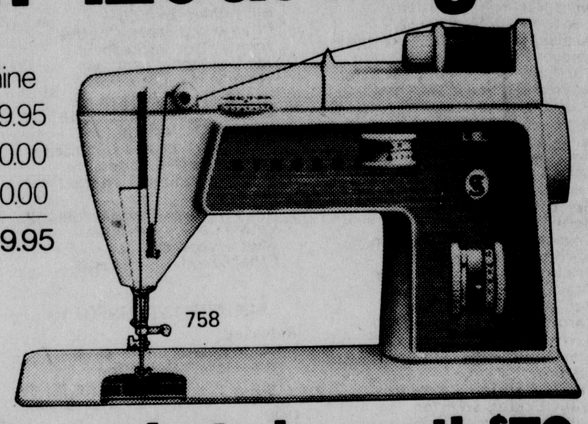
The proposed rates were suspended for four months beyond May 14, the effective date requested by Southwestern Bell. The Commission may suspend the rates for an additional period of six months if necessary. Hearings may be scheduled on the proposal later.

The rates requested by the company would, if approved, apply only to new installations and would have no effect on systems now in use.

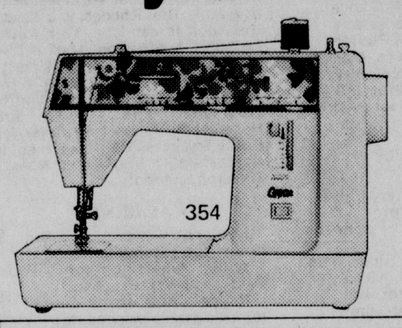
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It's a winner

A taste of honey

Pillsbury Company's annual Bake-Off contest featured a new twist. The grocery division entries stressed homey, family-oriented and cost-conscious food ideas while in the refrigerated division, the recipes for home entertaining are more expensive but use few ingredients and are quick to prepare.

From Wilmington, Del., is Mrs. Walter Byrde who submitted a winner ... Honey and Nut Coffee Cake. She is a homemaker with three adult children and her husband is an engineer. Her hobbies include sewing, cooking, sailing, woodworking and collecting antiques. She enjoys making quilts and building furniture. She recently made a wood-carvers' tour of Germany.

HONEY AND NUT COFFEE CAKE

1 package hot roll mix
¾ cup very warm water (105-115 degrees F.)
¼ cup sugar
1 tsp. grated lemon peel
One-third cup butter or margarine, melted
1 egg

FILLING

1 cup finely chopped nuts
1 tsp. cinnamon
3 Tbsp. honey
2 Tbsp. light cream, evaporated milk or 1 Tbsp. milk
1 tsp. vanilla
1 egg

GLAZE

1 cup powdered sugar
1 Tbsp. honey
1 to 2 Tbsp. hot water

In large bowl, dissolve yeast from hot roll mix in water. Stir in sugar, lemon peel, butter and egg. Add flour mixture; blend well. Cover; let rise in warm place until light and doubled in size, 45 to 60 minutes. Generously grease (not oil) 12-cup fluted tube pan (non-stick finish pan, too). Stir down dough; press half into greased pan.

Combine filling ingredients; spoon over dough in pan. Cover filling with remaining dough. Cover; let rise in warm place until light and doubled in size, 30 to 45 minutes. Preheat oven to 350 degrees (325 degrees for colored fluted tube pan). Bake 30 to 40 minutes until light golden brown. Loosen edges; remove from pan. Combine glaze ingredients until smooth; drizzle over warm bread. Yield: 10-inch ring coffee cake.

Events Goin' On

MONDAY

Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary will meet at 7 p.m., at the Heritage House.

TUESDAY

Delta Gamma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority will meet at 7:30 p.m., at the home of Cathy Senter, 525 Carroll St.

MONDAY

Morehouse Order of the Eastern Star is sponsoring a dinner for members of Morehouse Masonic Lodge A.S.&A.M. and their wives at 7 p.m., at the community building.

TUESDAY

Sikeston Extension Club will meet at 7:30 p.m., in the home of Mrs. Eldon Ziegenhorn, 1005 N. Kingshighway.

TUESDAY

Tau Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority will meet at 7:30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Hugh McCollum, 502 Benton St.

TUESDAY

Xi Epsilon Zeta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority will meet at the home of Melba McCord, 205 Powers Drive. Dorothy Scott will present a program on Canada.

MONDAY

Matthews Community Club will meet at 7:30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. William Depro of Matthews. Mrs. G. H. Jones and Mrs. Depro will present a program on interior design and equipment.

TUESDAY

Xi Zeta Alpha Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority will meet at 7:30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Laurel Carr, 113 Thomas Drive. Glenna Priday will present a program.

WEDNESDAY

Canalou Community Women's Club will meet at 1:30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. F. A. Mitchell. Mrs. Jerry Sisson will present a program on interior design and equipment.

Household hints

Add a little crushed garlic to lemon juice and use as a baste for broiled chicken.

Canvas:

Foundation of heritage needlework

In needlepoint, what you can't see when you've finished your embroidery is just as important as what you see.

You canvas vanishes from sight as you stitch it, but its quality can make your embroidery hours effortless and pleasurable . . . or it can make each stitch a tug-of-war with rough-edged threads that catch at your tapestry wool.

I thought of that a few weeks ago as I watched a woman buy materials to work a handsome chair seat she had designed. She got off to a fine start with exactly the right size and quality of needles, fine tapestry wool in a delicately shaded range of colors — and then she chose the cheapest canvas in the store.

I couldn't resist asking her why, and the answer, with a shrug, was, "It's not that important. It won't show."

She couldn't be further from the truth.

That canvas was going to be the foundation of her work, the support of her careful design and hours of stitching. With a fine strong canvas her effort could become a piece of lovely heritage needlework that would last for generations.

The simplest test of canvas strength is to try to tear it. Since stores may take a dim view of your tugging at canvases (though you can test leftover pieces of canvas from your own past projects), it's a good idea to ask the advice of a needlework shop expert.

The more wear your finished design will get (a chair seat, for example, as opposed to a framed picture), the sturdier the canvas should be. A simple design on a bold scale for a carpet or quickpoint pillow may have only five threads to the inch. Medium canvas — say 10 threads to the inch — will help capture details of a more intricate design. Fine petit point canvas, 17 to 22 threads to the inch, gives you a chance to execute exquisite flower petal shading, and lets a pictured face come alive with expression.



Canvas that's 13 threads to the inch is my preference for most pieces. It's easy to see each thread, yet fine enough for detail. I'd advise avoiding canvas with rough, starched finishes; it takes force to pull threads through it and your yarn may fray.

You should also be aware of mono, a single-thread canvas, and duo, a double-thread canvas. Duo permits interesting contrasts. On a 10-thread duo canvas you can do 10 stitches per inch in gros point and 20 stitches per inch (for a face or flower) in petit point.

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Ann Landers

Both sides of pitiful story reported in column

Dear Readers: Every now and then I hear from a reader who spots himself in the column and asks to tell HIS side of the story. Today's column is truly extraordinary. Here's the original letter that prompted the follow-up:

Dear Ann Landers: My husband and I accumulated $2500 in a local bank by depositing $5 and $10 a week. Our 20-year-old son, who does not live at home, entered our house when we were on vacation. He stole our passbook and withdrew $100 by forging his father's signature to our joint account.

He then proceeded to forge his father's name at this bank and other branches in the city. Within two weeks he empited the account of all but $5.

He requested a duplicate bankbook, returned the original to our home and kept the duplicate, in the hope that he could replace the money before we found out what he had done.

We might have been spared all this grief had one person been alert. Why did they give him a duplicate passbook? How could so many people in the respected profession of banking have used such poor judgment?--Syracuse, N.Y.

Dear Syracuse: I find it fascinating that your complaint is against the bank employees when the real tragedy is that your son is a crook.

My Chicago banking consultant suggests that you contact the senior officer of your bank and seek his counsel. MY advice is to try to get that boy into therapy at once.

This letter arrived today:

Dear Ann: I am the 20-year-old son who took my parents' bankbook and forged my father's signature.

First I'd like to tell you a little about my past. At age 16 my parents considered me a discipline problem and had me committed to a psychiatric hospital in Syracuse. After six months the doctor said, "This hospital is no place for you. I'm recommending a private school."

The day after my 17th birthday, off I went. I soon discovered it was no private school but a reformatory full of criminals. I learned every trick of the trade in that rathole. Forgery, robbery, flim-flam--you name it. You called me a crook, Ann. Granted I did some criminal things, but I didn't pick them up on my own, nor would I have associated with such people if I hadn't been exposed to that environment.

I've tried every which way to help myself. I've sought the help of professionals when things got rough. I'm now 21 and still as bad off as I was back then. I called my mother the night your column appeared only to find that four warrants were out for my arrest in Syracuse. She said it was an act of God that I happened to read that column and maybe now I will learn something.

But I can't do it on my own. I was thrown out of the house at age 18 and have had no relationship with my parents whatsoever. It has been one hell of a struggle. If only I had parents I could talk to. But they've disowned me and I am running in fear. Can you help?--I Want To Stop

Dear Want To Stop: Your need for love is heartbreaking. But don't give up--you CAN be helped.

Call the Mental Health Clinic at Upstate University Hospital, 750 East Adams, Syracuse, N.Y., telephone 473-5540. Ask for an appointment with the psychiatrist in charge. I've already phoned in your behalf and they are waiting to help you. Please let me know how you get along.

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Sports Corner

Ron Jaynes

JR. COLLEGE REPORT

Meramec Community College of St. Louis topsthe final National Junior College baseball poll with a 42-10 season record. Meramec has already qualified for the National Baseball Tournament scheduled for Grand Junction, Colo., by winning the Central District Tournament.

Crowder College of Neosho finished 12th with a 30-3 season slate.

Mineral Area College of Flat River placed fifth in team hitting, according to the final statistics of the NJCAA. The Cardinals finished the campaign with a 24-11 record and a .341 team hitting mark.

GaryColeman of Longview Community College at Lee's Summit finished second nationally in strikeouts, working 25 innings and fanning 41 for a 1.64 average.

BASKETBALL CAMP

Three Rivers Community College of Poplar Bluff will conduct the school's first basketball camp June 2-6 for junior high and high school students. The camp will be managed by Gene Bess, Jim King and Gary Holland and will feature guest coaches from day to day to provide specialized instruction.

The camp will be limited to the first 50 who apply for admission. A tuition fee will be charged and housing will be available for some who wish to stay in Poplar Bluff for the week long event.

For further information, call 785-6843; 785-2475; or 785-0076.

SEMO STATE BASEBALL

Lilbourn's Grant Dambach paced Southeast Missouri State University in eight batting categories this season as the Indians finished with an 18-6 record.

The sharp fielding shortstop led the team in batting with a .333 mark and appeared in all of the teams 27 games. He led the team in at bats with 93, runs with 23 and hits with 31 while tying in doubles with five, RBI's with 15 and sacrafice's with five.

Sikestonians Rick Eisenbach and Jim Saulters got into 10 games for SEMO this season and finished with respectable batting marks. Eisenbach batted .307 with eight hits in 26 at bats, scoring two runs and driving in two runs while drawing three walks and reached first after being hit by a pitch.

Saulters had five safties in 19 times at bat for a .263 mark. He scored three runs and drove in one while drawing three free passes.

Southeast finished the season with a .267 team batting average.

May 19, 1975

Dear Ron:

I'd like to use your "Sports Corner" as a forum to ask for some financial help for what I believe to be a very worthwile project involving some of the young men of Sikeston. With direction from Tom Masterson, a familiar name in area independent baseball circles, we are attempting to give college-age baseball players a place to keep their talents sharp over the summer, now that they are ineligible for any other form of organized play.

Just think on it...for the better part of ten summers these young men have played summer baseball, mostly inSikeston leagues, and, now that they're out of high school, they are too old for any summer ball. Some of these guys are playing college baseball and in most cases the college will find a job and a semi-pro team for any player who wants the competition...but, what if you want to come home. Most of our players decided being with their parents and friends for the summer was more important than staying at school, but they still want to play.

No one is making any money out of this venture. Tom, Steve McPheeters and myself are all willing to buy our own uniforms since we have full-time jobs with independent incomes, but, of course, the young men have neither the means nor the desire to purchase their own suits.Thusly, we ask the Sikeston area merchants, and even individuals for their financial aid--no matter how small. Even a five dollar bill will buy a bat.

Most of these young men are from Sikeston, and all team members are from Scott county. They have given the people of this area a lot of enjoyable watching now the people of Sikeston have an opportunity to pay them back, plus get to watch the team. (Most of the home games will be played at V.F.W. Stadium.)

We aren't asking for people to mail money into a post office box or anything. If the interested parties will just call me at 471-1400 or 471-4420, Tom at 471-0222 or Steve at 471-1520 or 471-6941, somebody will come by to talk with you...and I'llguarantee it will be prompt.

The amount we are thinking of is 400-500 dollars. This is allowing nothing for traveling expenses or extra baseballs and bats. We will be more than glad to absorb this expense if we could just afford to buy the very necessary uniforms and catcher's equipment.

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Vanduser third in SeMo softball

By CINDY MIEDERHOFF

Vanduser defeated the New Hamburg Falstaffs 9-2 in Semo Softball League action Friday night. The win gives Vanduser a 3-2 record for the season. Owens was the winning pitcher and Kern received the loss. Enderle was the relief pitcher for Kern in the fifth inning.

Vanduser's strongest scoring endeavor came in the fifth and last inning of play when they raked in four runs. Vanduser scored at least one run in every inning except the third. They claimed three in the first, one in the second, and one in the fourth to conclude their scoring. Vanduser jumped to the early lead which was only a slight one at that. Vanduser was winning at the end of the first inning 3-2. They went on to pile up many more runs by leading 4-2 at the end of the second and 5-2 at the end of the fourth. The fifth inning was the one which really did the trick for Vanduser when they rapped up four runs to win by a seven run advantage.

The leading scorers for Vanduser, were Harold Graviett with one, along with David Pobst and Gary Owens who both had one also, and Wayne Limbaugh, Kris Dover, and Charlie Dye who all had two each. In the hitting department, the New Hamburg Falstaffs were outdone by that mysterious number seven again. Vanduse r had a total of ten hits while the Falstaffs of New Hamburg claimes a total of three. Fopr Vanduser, HaroldGraviett had two hits, Wayne Limbaugh belted two hits also, Kris Dover had a total of two hits including a double to drive in a run, and Owens, Dye, Pobst, and Phillips all had one hit each. For New Hamburg, John Merrick was the leading and only scorer with two runs made which included two runs batted in. John Merrick also smashed a hit, along with teammates Murray and Kern who knocked his also. Murray proved to be the outstanding hit smasher with a double in the second inning of play.

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Geese explode theories

COLUMBIA--If good theories were dippers, it would be tough to get a drink.

They don't always hold water...

That's what Dave Graber found out when he theorized about those high rise geese.

Graber, a graduate student at the University of Missouri's Cooperative Wildlife Research Unit here, has been studying a flock of cliff-nesting Canada geese for nearly two years.

The first reports of the geese filtered into wildlife circles in the 1950s but it wasn't until 1971 that biologists and moviemakers Glenn Chambers and Charles Schwartz of the Department of Conservation documented the existence of the birds along the Missouri River cliffs near Hermann.

Graber began the study with one good theory of the origin of the birds, that they were descended from some western Canada geese stocked on the August A. Busch Memorial Wildlife Area, but area residents recalled seeing geese on the river as far back as the 1920s, long before the Busch Area began.

That left two theories -- that they were leftovers from the days when live decoys were permitted or that they'd always been there, even though early explorers didn't mention seeing geese nesting on the Missouri cliffs.

Graber found the flock of an estimated 180 to 200 birds ranged from just east of Jefferson City to St. Charles -- some 115 miles of river.

There is a resident flock of about 300 geese at the Busch Area in St. Charles County, within two miles of the river, and Graber's flock could have been part of that flock.

It wasn't, but the Busch Area proved to be a very important factor in the habits of the river geese. Almost the instant the first shot of the waterfowl season was fired, the river geese vanished from the river and reappeared on the Busch Area, which is a refuge.

"We actually watched a flock fired at by an illegal hunter," Graber says. "The birds flew directly to the cliffs, the first time they'd been there all summer, and two days later were at the Busch Area."

Finding the nests was no easy research project. the cliffs are as high as 200 feet and there are many ledges where the birds can nest. Once on the nest, the birds are almost invisible.

The only way to reach the nests was by rappelling off the top of the cliff.

Once the baby geese hatch, they spend only a day in the nest, then actually leap from the cliff as much as 150 feet to the ground below. Graber found one baby dead from the fall, but most survive.

The biggest hazard is the railroad track which parallels the base of the cliff. The rails are a huge hurdle for a tiny goose and predators lurk all along the bluff base. Track workers told Graber they frequently stop their work to boost baby geese over the rails.

Once in the river the babies are relatively safe.

Graber banded geese both at the Busch Area and on the river, netting those at the Busch Area and running the river geese down one by one while they were molting and thus flightless. He also used a cannon net on sandbars of the river, catching about half the geese he caught this way.

He found most of the river birds stayed there during the summer but some of his non-breeders left in the spring and showed up at Green Bay, Wisconsin.

The future for the geese on the Missouri is cloudy because of continued river channel work that closes off needed chutes and eliminates islands the geese need for food and shelter.

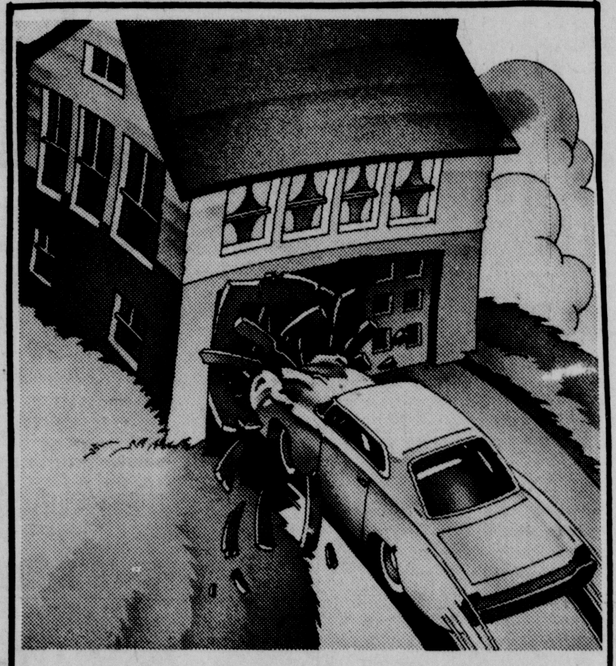
"The islands and backwater areas are needed primarily as brook-rearing areas," Graber says. "This may be the weak link in the chain. Adults seem to be able to make it all right during most of the year, but also need these same islands and backwaters while they're molting."

The upper Mississippi River has potential, Graber thinks, but so far does not have a flock of birds.

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	OPENS	CLOSES	BAG LIMIT (Daily-Possession)
HUNTING			
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Squirrels	May 24	Dec. 31	6-12
Bullfrogs	Sunset June 30	Nov. 30	8-8
FISHING			
Impoundments (All Species) Code	Now Open	No Closed Season	Wee Wildlife
Ozark Streams (Largemouth, smallmouth, spotted bass)	May 24	Feb. 28, 1976	See Wildlife Code
Trout Management Areas (Stamp Required)	Now Open	No Closed Season	See Wildlife Code
Walleye & Sauger	See Wildlife Code	See Wildlife Code	See Wildlife Code
Trout Parks	Now Open	Oct. 31	5-10
Paddlefish (snagging)	Now Open	May 15	2-2
Non-game fish (snagging, snarring, etc.)	Now Open	May 15	See Wildlife Code
Bullfrogs	Sunset June 30	Nov. 30	8-8



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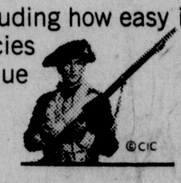
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Two season's open

JEFFERSON CITY — Two major outdoor seasons open in Missouri May 24, the Ozark stream bass season and the squirrel season.

On bass, there is a statewide minimum length limit of 12 inches in all streams. Daily limit is six, with 12 in possession.

In impoundments, the season is open all year. Daily limit is 10, with 20 in possession.

Hunters can take six squirrels per day, with 12 in possession. Because of a heavy acorn crop last year, squirrel hunting is expected to be good statewide this season.

Some do, some don't

JEFFERSON CITY — The best conclusion is some of 'em do and some of 'em don't.

There were at least two wild turkeys taken this spring wearing tags put there when the birds were trappedfor release in suitable habitat.

One of the birds had stayed virtually where it was stocked, while the other was a real traveler. A 22½ pound gobbler taken by Cleo Scheperle, Russellville, in Cole County was on the farm next to the one where he was released in 1968.

The bird could have been as much as 10 years old, an enormously old age for a wild turkey.

But Jerry Null, Stoddard County, took a 25 pound gobbler which had traveled at least 25 mile since its 1972 release south of Bernie.

Department of Conservation deer biologists, working with tagged animals, have foundthat most range very little, but an occasional individual has traveled 100 mils or more.

Some do, some don't.

Sports

TENNIS

LAS VEGAS, Nev.-Roscoe Tanner of Lookout Mountain, Tenn., won the $165,000 Alan King Tennis Classic with a 5-7, 7-5, 7-6 decision over Ross Case of Australia in the final.

BOURNEMOUTH, England-Janet Newberry of La Jolla, Calif., scored a surprise victory over Terry Holladay 7-9, 7-5, 6-3 to take the women's singles title in the $80,000 British Hardcourt Tennis Championships.

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Barr...stops Cards

Scoreboard

Baseball....

By The Associated Press

American League

East	W	L	Pct	GB
Milwaukee	19	13	.594	—
Boston	15	15	.500	3
Detroit	14	16	.467	4
Baltimore	15	18	.455	4½
Cleveland	13	19	.406	6
New York	13	20	.394	6½
West				
Oakland	21	13	.618	—
Texas	20	15	.571	1½
Kansas City	20	17	.541	2½
Minnesota	16	15	.516	3½
California	19	18	.514	3½
Chicago	14	20	.412	7

Saturday's Results
Minnesota 8, Milwaukee 7
Kansas City 5, Boston 3
California 6, Baltimore 3
Oakland 6, New York 1
Detroit 6, Texas 4
Chicago 10, Cleveland 1

Sunday's Results
California 5, Baltimore 1
New York 9, Oakland 1
Boston 4, Kansas City 2
Minnesota 6, Milwaukee 0
Cleveland 7, Chicago 6
Texas 7, Detroit 6, 11 innings

Monday's Games
Oakland at Boston, N
California at Cleveland, N
Kansas City at New York, N
Baltimore at Chicago, N
Detroit at Minnesota, N
Only games scheduled

Tuesday's Games
Oakland at Boston, N
Kansas City at New York, N
Texas at Milwaukee, N
Baltimore at Chicago, N
Detoit at Minnesota, N
Only games scheduled

National League

East	W	L	Pct	GB
Chicago	21	12	.636	—
Philphia	20	14	.588	1½
Pittsburgh	17	13	.567	2½
New York	15	15	.500	4½
St. Louis	14	18	.438	6½
Montreal	13	17	.433	6½
West				
Los Angeles	24	14	.632	—
Cincinnatis	20	19	.513	4½
San Diego	17	19	.472	6
Atlanta	18	21	.462	6½
S.Francisco	16	19	.457	6½
Houston	13	27	.325	12

Saturday's Results
Cincinnati 5, Montreal 3, 10 innings
St. Louis 17, San Francisco 2
Philadelphia 9, Atlanta 8
New York 6, Houston 4
Los Angeles 4, Pittsburgh 3, 10 innings
San Diego 4, Chicago 1

Sunday's Results
Philadelphia 5, Atlanta 1
Cincinnati 6, Montreal 1
Houston 12, New York 7
Chicago 3, San Diego 2
San Francisco 2, St. Louis 0
Pittsburgh 7, Los Angeles 2

Monday's Games
Pittsburgh at San Francisco
Philadelphia at Houston, N
St. Louis at San Diego, N
Chicago at Los Angeles, N
Only games scheduled

Tuesday's Games
Montreal at Atlanta, N
New York at Cincinnati, N
Philadelphia at Houston, N
St. Louis at San Diego, N
Chicago at Los Angeles, N
Pittsburgh at San Francisco, N

Leaders....

National League

BATTING 75 at bats-Lacy, LA, .369; Cash, Phi, .366.

RUNS-Lopes, LA, 34; Cedeno, Htn, 28.

RUNS BATTED IN-T. Simmons, StL, 27; Garvey, LA, 27; Luzinski, Phi, 26; Watson, Htn, 26; Winfield, SD, 26.

HITS-Garvey, LA, 56; Cash, Phi, 53.

DOUBLES-Rose, Cin, 11; Cedeno, Htn, 11; Grubb, SD, 11; Madlock, Chi, 10; Monday, Chi, 10; Sizemore, StL, 10; Bench, Cin, 10.

TRIPLES-D. Parker, Pgh, 4; Kessinger, Chi, 3; Bowa, Phi, 3; Garr, Atl, 3; R. Andrews, Htn, 3; Gross, Htn, 3.

HOME RUNS-Luzinski, Phi, 8; Baker, Atl, 7; Correll, Atl, 7; Watson, Htn, 7; Cey, LA, 7; Winfield, SD, 7.

STOLEN BASES-Morgan, Cin, 19; Cedeno, Htn, 18.

PITCHING 5 Decisions-Messersmith, LA, 6-0, 1.000, 2.17; S. Stone, Chi, 5-0, 1.000, 1.02; Sutton, LA, 7-2, .778, 1.65.

STRIKEOUTS-Sutton, LA, 72; Messersmith, LA, 60.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

BATTING 75 at bats-Munson, NY, .387; Yount, Mil, .381.

RUNS-R. White, NY, 24; Rivers, Cal, 23.

RUNS BATTED IN-Hisle, Min, 26; McRae, KC, 25.

HITS-Rivers, Cal, 47; Munson, NY, 46.

DOUBLES-Chalk, Cal, 10; McRae, KC, 10; Lezcano, Mil, 9.

TRIPLES-Evans, Bsn, 3; Porter, Mil, 3; Remy, Cal, 3; Rivers, Cal, 3; Orta, Chi, 3; Patek, KC, 3.

HOME RUNS-Horton, Det, 8; Burroughs, Tex, 8; Grich, Bal, 6; Carbo, Bsn, 6; Hendrick, Cle, 6; Powell, Cle, 6; Hisle, Min, 6; R. Jackson, Oak, 6.

STOLEN BASES-Rivers, Cal, 22; Otis, KC, 21.

PITCHING 5 Decisions-Ryan, Cal, 8-1, .889, 1.82 Blue, Oak, 8-1, .889, 1.96 Kaat, Chi, 6-1, .857, 2.58.

STRIKEOUTS-Ryan, Cal, 74; Blyleven, Min, 63.

Cardinal baseball

National at San Francisco

ST. LOUIS	AB	R	H	BI
Brock lf	4	0	2	0
Sizemore 2b	4	0	0	0
Melendez cf	3	0	0	0
TSimmns c	2	0	0	0
Fairly rf	1	0	0	0
KHrndz 1b	3	0	0	0
Reitz 3b	3	0	0	0
Brinkmn ss	2	0	0	0
Cater ph	1	0	0	0
McGlothn p	2	0	0	0
Dwyer ph	1	0	0	0
Total	26	0	2	0

SAN FRANCISCO	AB	R	H	BI
Joshua cf	4	1	3	0
DThomas 2b	4	0	0	0
Murcer rf	3	0	1	1
Matthews lf	4	0	0	0
Montanez 1b	3	1	1	0
Speier ss	4	0	2	1
Goodson 3b	4	0	1	0
DaRader c	4	0	1	0
Barr p	3	0	0	0
Total	33	2	9	2

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E—Brinkman. DP—San Francisco 2. LOB—St. Louis 2, San Francisco 10. 2B—Joshua. 3B—Montanez. SB—Joshua. SF—Murcer.

	IP	H	R	ER
McGlothen	8	9	2	2
Barr	9	2	0	0

WP—McGlothen. W—Barr, 4-3. L—McGlothen, 3-4. BB—McGlothen 2, Barr 3. SO—McGlothen y, Barr 6.
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Basketball...

Pro Basketball At A Glance
By The Associated Press

NBA PLAYOFFS
Finals
Best-of-7 Series
Saturday's Game
No game scheduled
Sunday's Result
Golden State 101, Washington 95, Golden State leads 1-0
Monday's Game
No game scheduled
Tuesday's Game
Washington vs. Golden State at San Francisco, CBS-TV

ABA PLAYOFFS
Finals
Best-of-7 Series
Saturday's Result
Kentucky 109, Indiana 101, Kentucky leads 3-0
Sunday's Game
No game scheduled
Monday's Game
Kentucky at Indiana
Tuesday's Game
No game scheduled



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SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—What a difference a day makes to the San Francisco Giants. But to the St. Louis Cardinals, nothing's changed in two years.

After being walloped for 23 hits in a 17-2 loss to the Cardinals Saturday, the Giants came up with their best cure against St. Louis Sunday-right-handed pitcher Jim Barr.

Barr, who hasn't yielded a run to the Cardinals since July 19, 1973, maintained his mastery with a two-hit, 2-0 victory, extending his scoreless string to 24 1-3 innings against St. Louis.

"It's not just luck-he's a damned good pitcher," said Cardinals Manager Red Schoendienst. "Against us, he keeps the ball low and throws strikes. It looked like he made any pitch he wanted."

Barr faced only 29 batters over the 95-minute game and had a no-hitter for six innings. Lou Brock had the Cardinals' only two singles.

"He had it all together," said Cardinals' slugger Ted Simmons. "Maybe he just gets hyped for us. Everything he threw today was super."

Brock broke up the no-hit bid by ripping a knee-high liner off Barr's glove to lead off the sixth. Brock added a grounder up the middle in the ninth.

"The guys were quiet on the bench, but I wasn't. I had been thinking about the no-hitter early," said Barr, who improved his record to 4-3 and lowered his earned run average to 2.39.

"I told the guys after the second inning that they had better get me a run because the Cardinals weren't going to get any," recalled Barr, who got his wish in the fifth.

Von Joshua opened the fifth with a double off loser Lynn McGlothlen, 3-4, advanced on a wild pitch and scored on Bobby Mercer's sacrifice fly.

Willie Montanez' triple and Chris Speier's single added a run in the sixth. Joshua's three hits in four trips raised his average to .354, fourth best in the National League.

"I tried to throw harder today," Barr explained. "Normally, I'm pitching to spots, working on control," he added.

"This time, I just let loose. It's probably as hard as I've ever thrown."

Matinez to A's

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Teddy Martinez says a base-running blunder is the reason he's a member of the Oakland Athletics today, instead of the St. Louis Cardinals.

St. Louis sent the 27-year-old Martinez to the A's Sunday for Steve Staniland, a 20-year-old minor league pitcher, and a player to be named later.

The Cards also recalled former Boston Red Sox shortstop Mario Guerrero, 24, from their Tulsa farm club in the American Association to take Martinez's role as a backup infielder.

Martinez, who was batting .190 with two runs batted in in 21 at-bats this season, said the trade resulted from a mistake in St. Louis' 4-3 loss to the San Francisco Giants Friday night. He hesitated while trying to score from third base with the score tied 3-3 in the ninth and was thrown out.

"I didn't see him catch the ball," said Martinez. The ump was in my way...if I'd seen the ball I would have scored easily."

St. Louis Manager Red Schoendienst denied any connection between the trade and the base-running incident.

The Cardinals said Staniland, 2-2 this season for Modesto in the California League, would be sent to St. Petersburg in the Flordia State League. Guerrero, who was hitting .270 with 15 RBIs with Tulsa, was to join St. Louis today in San Diego.

The Cardinals also called up outfielder Jay Schueter from Tulsa to replace centerfielder Bake McBride, who is on the disabled list.

Rightfielder Reggie Smith, out of action for two weeks with a back ailment, was to return to St. Louis for re-examination of the injury prior to a decision whether to also place him on the disabled list, the Cardinals said.

St. Louis dominates prep tennis

COLUMBIA, Mo. (AP) — "I'm glad Russ wasn't having one of his better days," mused St. Louis Sumner junior Juan Farrow.

Farrow had just won his second straight Missouri high school singles title, defeating Russ Muenz of DeSmet, 7-6, 6-2, Saturday.

The victory represented a rematch of sorts between the two youths. Muenz battled Farrow for three sets last week in the St. Louis Country Day Invitational before Farrow took the finale, 8-6.

In other action Saturday, Kansas City Pembroke-Country Day's John Goodwin and Mike Rees slipped past Dave Hartig and Gary Miller of Lindbergh, 7-5, 2-6, 7-6, for the state doubles title.

Rockhurst, Pem-Day and Lindbergh tied for team honors, however, with 10 each, while St. Louis Sumner had 8, St. Louis Country Day 6½, DeSmet 6, Springfield Parkview 4½, St. Joseph Central 4, Burroughs and University City 2½, and Ladue, McCluer North and Webster Groves 2.

Finishing third in singles competition was Joe Ruysser of Rockhurst with a 6-3, 6-0 win over Barry Losson of St. Joseph Central, while St. Louis Country Day's Lee Blount and Mike Matheis defeated Lindbergh's Dave Krizman and Pete Brown, 6-2, 6-3, in the doubles consolation match.

Jays place 3rd in state meet

Charleston high school athletes completed a successful sports season over the week when the Bluejay tracksters placed third in the class AAA out-door track and field competition.

The Jays finished with 19 points, four off the winning pace set by Mexico and only two behind second place Kansas City Manual.

Spearheading the CHS effort was Ralph Mitchell, who set a state record in the 100 yard dash with a 9.9 time and placed second in the 220 yard dash, three tenths of a second behind the winning time of 22.6.

Charlie Clark scored a third for the Jays in the 100 yard dash while the teams 880 yard relay unit placed third with a 1:32 time and the Mile relay squad finished third with a 3:30.1 time.

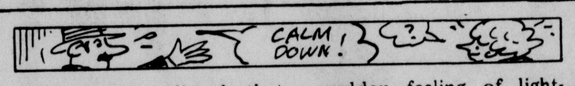
Caruthersville finished fifth with 11 points while Dexter, Kennett and Jackson scored in the event.

Gary Walton did all the scoring for the Tigers in their fifth place finish, placing third in the long jump with a 22-1 mark; fourth in the 440 with a 51.3 time and first in the triple jump with a 47-2 ¼ mark, which was a state record.

Dan Robis finished third in the Pole vault with a 13-3 ½ mark while Dexter's scoring came on Kenny Young's fourth place finish in the mile with a 4:32.4 time; Dwayne Galey's fourth place discus throw of 141-10 and Kenny Youngs fifth place, 10:01.9, in the two mile.

Poplar Bluff was the only Southeast Missouri team to score in the class AAAA event.

Cedrick Lewis finished fifth in the long jump with a 22-5 ¼ mark and Scott Harrell placed second in the discus with a 180-9 mark, which bettered the state record of 1974.



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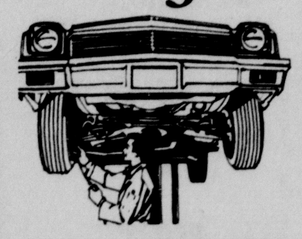
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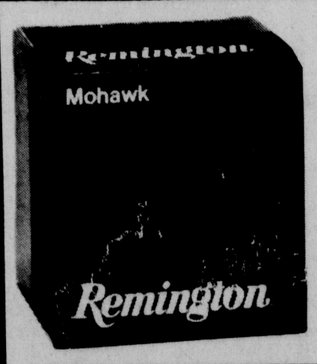
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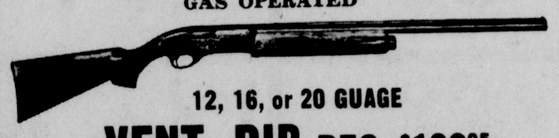
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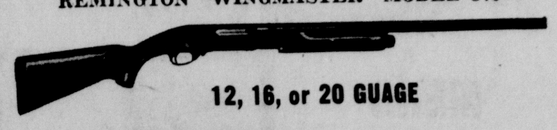
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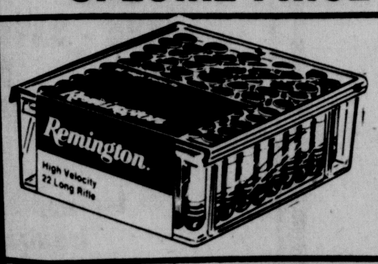


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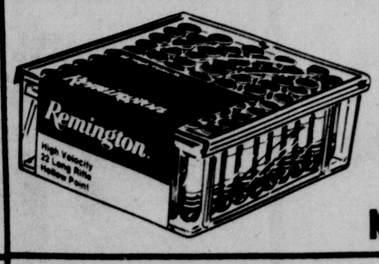
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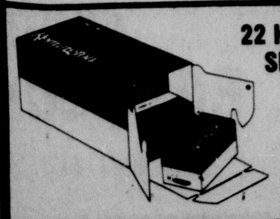
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Envoys plan energy talk

TEHRAN, Iran (AP) — The Iranian government newspaper reported today that the United States and other major industrial countries have agreed that the price of crude oil should be pegged to an index of the major products the oil countries buy from the industrial nations.

Rastakhiz said following Shah Mohammed Reza Pahlevi's "successful" discussions with U.S. officials over the weekend, special envoys of the United States, France, the European Economic Community, Saudi Arabia and Iran met secretly in Tehran and agreed to hold an energy conference.

The report did not say when the conference would be held.

The shah some months ago proposed that the price of crude oil rise or fall in accordance with the worldwide rate of inflation, as indicated by the world market prices of some 30 other major commodities. Up to now, the United States and other major industrial nations have resisted the proposal.

The shah said in Washington Sunday that the members of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries probably will raise prices in September to keep up with the rising prices of what they buy.

The shah said the oil countries have lost 35 per cent of their purchasing power because of world inflation, the shaky world monetary situation and the dollar's loss of purchasing power.

$27 million paid out

JEFFERSON CITY — More than $27 million in unemployment compensation benefits was distributed statewide during April under state and federal programs, Murl Nash, informational supervisor of the state Division of Employment Security, has announced.

In the four-county area of Mississippi, New Madrid, Scott and Stoddard counties, a total of $439,863 in benefits was distributed, compared to $118,732 distributed during the same time in 1974.

Nash said the reason for the sharp increase in payments from last year is due to the fact that federal programs are included in the data now and previously were not. Of the more than $27 million distributed statewide, he said almost $22 million was paid through the regular state programs.

The April total is four per cent less than the March total, and only 130,000 workers filed for unemployment insurance benefits during April, compared to 145,000 during March.

The average weekly benefit payment during April was $55.76.

In Scott County during April, $78,174 in regular state payments were made. Extended benefits (EB), paid to workers whose regular benefits had run out, amounted to $8,337; in the special unemployment assistance (SUA) program, $8,103 were paid; and in the federaal supplemental benefit (FSB) program, $1,709 was paid.

The SUA and FSB programs are totally financed by the federal government and the EB program is funded 50 per cent by the federal government.

The most regular state payments made in the four-county area during April was in StoddardCounty. There $138.161 in regular payments was issued, plus $9,634 in EB payments, $16,897 in SUA payments and $1,105 in FSB payments.

In New Madrid County, $32,904 in regular state payments was distributed, along with $5,462 in the EB program, $40,088 in SUA payments and $1,152 in FSB payments.

In Mississippi County, $74,014 in regular payments was made, $5,164 was expended in the EB program, $18,389 in the SUA program and $660 in the FSB program.

Stoddard County received the greatest number of total benefits in April -- $165,707, counting both state and federal programs. Mississippi County received a total of $98,227; Scott County received $967,323; and New Madrid County's total was $79,606.

In other Southeast Missouri offices during April, Cape Girardeau issued $497,447 in payments; Caruthersville, $181,612; Kennett, $315,820; and Poplar Bluff, $422,283.

Student wins award

Galen Kruger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Galen Kruger, 401 Malcolm St., won The National Observer Student Achievement Award at Sikeston High School.

The award consists of a specially designed certificate and a year's subscription to The National Observer. The social science department at Sikeston High School made the selection, according to Charles R. Depro, social science chairman.

Kruger, a senior, received the award Friday at the annual honors assembly for the school. He was also named the top French student and is a member of the golf team.

Barbs

By PHIL PASTORET

Washington gurus APPARENTLY believe that "credibility" indicates what THEY believe the rest of us will swallow.

Everything rosy turned out Red

By RONALD REAGAN
Copley News Service

When the Socialists came out ahead in Portugal elections, many in the West breathed a sigh of relief that the "moderates" had won. Everything seemed rosy, but it's turned out rosy Red.

The Communist Party ran a poor third -- about 12 per cent of the vote-- behind the Socialist and the Popular Democratic Party (PDP), but all are essentially different denominations of the same religion -- socialism. The young officers of the ruling Armed Forces Movement (AFM) had already outlawed the potentially most effective centrists and conservatives (and a few Maoists).

The AFM allowed the election to take place only after extracting promises from the remaining parties to abide by its forthcoming constitution, and to enforce AFM rules for at least five years. In other words, the AFM made sure the election would be meaningless. It was, instead, a sort of pacifier for the people; a nationwide public opinion poll. No doubt some supportsers of the banned center-to-right parties voted for the Socialists or the PDP over the Communists on the grounds they were "least worst."

The Soviet Union has been pouring an estimated $10 million a month into Portugal to support its small but well-organized Communist Party. With this horn of plenty the Communists hired brigades of street fighters to intimidate non-Communist voters and break up their rallies and meetings.

The Soviet investment is paying off: The Communist Party has gained control of the press and the labor union movement -- classic Red strategy.

As if to further nullify the election (the results of which they must surely have been able to predict) the Soviets have had their local party sonorously warn the Socialists to heed the word of the AFM. The AFM, in turn,they hope to dominate from within, using their supporters among its 200 or so members as stalking horses.

Recently in London, one well-placed observer of the Portuguese scene told me that the NATO nations should encourage the more moderate members of the AFM to assert themselves. Give them a chance to let democracy flower, he seemed to be saying, it's been a long time coming. But, it's probably too late.

Already, the banks and insurance companies have been nationalized and more businesses are likely to follow. The United States has been told its base in the Azores may not be used to resupply the Israelis in the event of Mideast conflict. The Soviets have gained permission for their "fishing trawler" fleet to use a Madeira seaport. Can Soviet naval base rights be far behind?

Perhaps all this is part of a national intoxication following last year's coup against the decade-old dictatorship, but the Portuguese seem to be heading, perhaps unwittingly, toward another one -- a Red one.

Looking ahead, two likely scenarios add up to a bad news-bad news version of the good news-bad news story. In one, the USSR does a Czechoslovakia-type takeover, through subversion, to make Portugal a satellite.

That would be bad, but the second scenario is even worse, and current evidence suggests it's the more probable one. In it, Portugal remains ostensibly independent, with a left-wing military dictatorship, but with the USSR acting as stage manager. Communists already hold several key government posts. On stage, Portugal, appearing independent, would remain in NATO -- our first line of defense -- but in reality an ally not of the West but of the USSR.

This would have a profound effect among NATO allies. Italy is shaking already, with a large, powerful Communist Party. Spain would face the prospect of internal strife with guerrillas infiltrating from Portugal.

Meanwhile, the United States does nothing to encourage the majority of Portuguese who don't want to be Communists. Indeed, the climate in the United States seemsto be dominated by "liberals" who find American support of right-wing dictators intolerable but have yet to utter a peep about the left-wing military dictators in Portugal.

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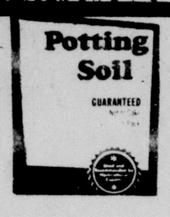
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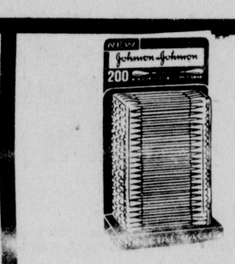
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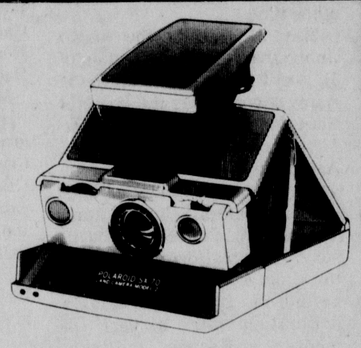
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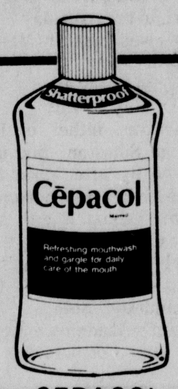
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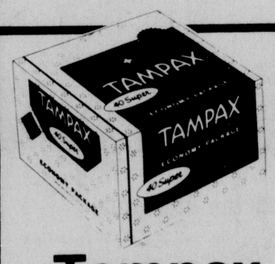
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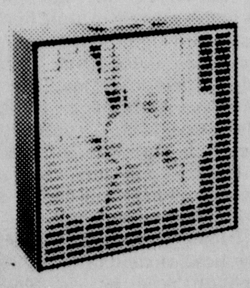
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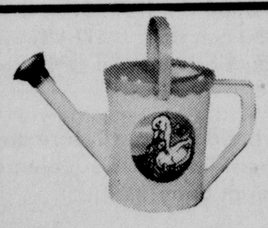
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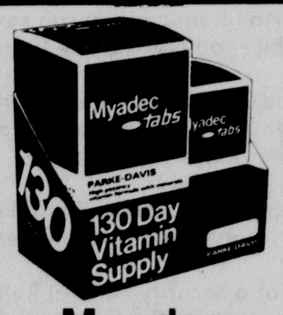
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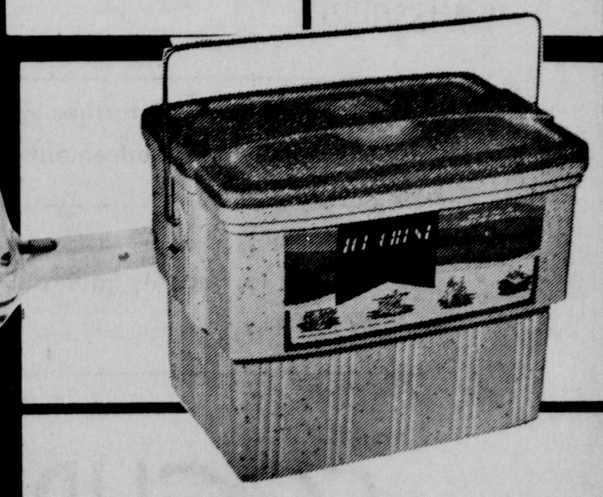


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What's the law?

The case of the ungodly couple

By JACK STRAUSS, LL.B.

Bert and Bonnie were so far removed from religion that they didn't even know what church they were staying away from. Consequently, when they decided to adopt a child and filed the appropriate papers in court for that purpose, they encountered a problem.

Not belonging to a church and not believing in a Supreme Being, they had no invisible means of support. This presented an impediment to the adoption.

"Church affiliations," Bert was told, "indicate a person's good moral fitness to rear a child. And a lack of such affiliation indicates the contrary. What's more, atheism has no future.

"I don't have to go to church to hear a moralogue," was Bert's answer. "While others may believe in God, I believe in me. I'm kind, considerate, hard working and a good guy. That should be sufficient."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you permit the ungodly couple to adopt a child?

This is how the judge ruled: YES! The judge held that adoptions are granted when they are in the best interests of the child involved. And while sincere belief in a religion may be indicative of the moral fitness of those seeking to adopt, an adoption cannot be denied just because the prospective adoptive parents do not profess a religion or a belief in a Supreme Being.

In such a case, conclude the judge, the court must resolve the question of fitness by probing the moral character of the prospective parents aside from religion and, if all is satisfactory, the adoption must be granted.

(Based upon a 1971 New Jersey Supreme Court Decision.)

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Looking back

New plant spurs town

50 Years Ago
May 17, 1925

When the Presbyterian congragation met last Friday, the finance and building committees reported favorably, announcing that the dedicatory ground-breaking services would be held this Friday on the church lot and building will start immediately. The new church is to be located on the corner of Matthews and East streets, fronts on Matthews.

Sikeston High School won signal honors in the Scott County tennis tournament Friday at Benton when both the boys and girls won the silver cups offered in the double matches and Vernon Skillman won a medal in the boys' singles. The girls' team consisted of Elizabeth Stallcup and Ruby Richards and the boys' of Lynn Smith and Vernon Skillman.

If anyone thinks Sikeston is not on the upgrade, just let them walk east from Kingshighway through the new Shoe Factory Addition. On this one street 35 new houses have been built since the completion of the factory. Other streets have shown just such a growth.

Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards are the proud parents of a baby girl born to them on May 7. Mrs. Edwards was formerly Miss Leo Watkins of this city.

40 Years Ago
May 17, 1935

A. Graber, father of Louis Graber of Sikeston, died in St. Louis shortly after noon Monday. He contracted pneumonia after undergoing a gall stone operation.

Malone Theatre, today, "The Wedding Night" with Gary Cooper and Anna Sten.

Graham's Academy of Beauty Culture and Cosmotology will open June 1, Sam Graham owner and manager, announced Tuesday. He will operate same in the east room of the McCoy-Tanner building's first floor, formerly occupied by the postoffice.

Programs for the baccalaureate services Sunday and for commencement Monday were announced Wednesday by Superintendent R. V. Ellise. Both exercises will be held in the high school auditorium. Seniors are: Frank Altom, Ramon Bandy, Junior Barger, Chester Conrad, Billy Bob Donnell, Murray Lynn Farris, Basel Hessling, Fred Jones, jr., Paul Jones.

Venson Jones, Het Lambert, James Lambert, John Layton, Charles McMullin, Clem Marshall, Tris Marshall, Glenn Matthews, jr., Joe Matthews, jr., Don Robinson, Marion Thrower, John Louis Wilson, and Gust Zacher. Evelyn Allard, Doris Mydland, Alma Branum, Rachel Ruth Branum, LaVerne Canoy, Gayle Collins and Louise Davis.

Lillian Rita Derris, Margaret Fisher, Louise Gardner, Alleane Garrison, Pauline Husher, Helen Johnson, Adele Love, Mary Emma Powell, Mildred Rushing, Mary Margaret Russell, Mary Ethel Smith, Louis Ellen Tanner, Dorothy Lee Waller, Wantona Watson, Mildred Williams, and Pauline Young.

30 Years Ago
May 17, 1945

Mrs. Teressa Raynolds, Cape Girardeau, died of a complication of ailments Tuesday. She had been in ill health for some time and was taken to the hospital about three weeks ago. She was the mother of Mrs. Harry C. Young, jr., who is residing here for the duration.

Mr. and Mrs. Early Caldwell, who had resided on a farm at Pleasant Valley near Morley, moved to Sikeston Tuesday.

Hospital notes. Mrs. Ralph Dalton of Smith Addition, entered the hospital on the 14th and a son was born on the 15th.

Mrs. Elmer Kernell, Route 1, entered on the 15th and a daughter was born to her yesterday.

Mrs. William Woods of Bertrand entered on the 15th and a daughter was born to her on the same day.

Farrenburg - Eighty-one persons attended the Mothers Day program sponsored by the Sunday School.

20 Years Ago
May 17, 1955

Mrs. Charles Barnett was elected 1955-56 Regent of Kings Highway Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution at the monthly meeting Saturday at the home of Mrs. Robert Lillard.

Sikeston's Bulldogs, who came from behind to win two games in the sub-district tourney here two weeks ago, once again overcame a deficit to wrap up the district baseball championship at VFW Memorial Park Monday, when they took the Doniphan Dons, 5-3, in eight innings. Runs were scored by Carmody, Hulehan, Bennett, Dyer, and Jines.

Bell City -- Funeral services for Donald R. Thrower, 31, who was found dead on the Cotton Belt railrad tracks here Tuesday, were conducted this afternoon.

Charleston -- Funeral services for Will Carmen, 72, a retired farmer, who died Tuesday at a Cairo, Ill., hopsital, were held this afternoon.

Looking back

Local man is a hero

50 years ago
May 19, 1925

Morehouse--Miss Marie Sexton of Cape Girardeau spent the weekend here visiting Miss Arlene Sullivan.

Tickets to the senior class play, "Seventeen," which is to be shown at the new auditorium next Wednesday, have been placed on sale at The Bijou. Cast members include: Doris Gilbert, Will Hayden, Donald Story, Mort Griffith, Alfreda Baty, Fannye Becker, Ruby Richards, Louis Moles, James Howell, Eugene Potashnick, Donald Milem, Kathryn Hanner, John Houchens, and Lucille Mount.

O. W. McCutchen bought The Grand Theatre Tuesday, thereby adding another moving picture house to his chain of six in this section.

The Rev. John Kerr of the Presbyterian Church at Farmington will be the chief speaker at the ground-breaking service of the local Presbyterians Friday. The exercises will be held at the church lot on Matthews street.

40 years ago
May 19, 1935

Miss Louise Davis was chosen Wednesday to represent Sikeston at the Mardi Gras beauty contest in Poplar Bluff on May 25. Selection of Miss Davis was made by delegates of four civic organizations, who were chosen by club presidents.

Mrs. Susan Crites, mother of Christian Crites of Sikeston, died Monday at the home of a son, Ferdinand Crites, near Patton. She died of paralysis after an illness of three weeks.

Peter Belkin of Fredericktown, brother of Mrs. Barney Wagner of Sikeston, died of pneumonia shortly after midnight Monday.

Morehouse--Miss Margaret Patterson of Carrollton is visiting her mother, Mrs. Maude Patterson.

30 years ago
May 19, 1945

A son was born to Major and Mrs. R. L. Andres Monday at Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape. The child has been given the name of Robert L. Jr., and is their first child. Mrs. Andres is the former Miss Nina Vern Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmos Taylor.

Howard F. Kramer, who is stationed at Okinawa, has been promoted to first lieutenant, according to information received by his wife, who resides here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gray.

Lt. Charles Tanner, son of Mrs. Sayers W. Tanner, 404 Tanner Street, is one of the chief heros of the war in the Pacific, according to dispatches, released to the Associated Press, and radio broadcaasts made over national radio hookups Sunday.

The story of his rescue feat was broadcast several times yesterday over different radio stations. It seems that two American flyers were shot down about a mile off shore during the strike on Kyushu in the Japanese inland sea May 14 right under the nose of the Emperer. They were floating around in rubber rafts under heavy gunfire when Lt. Tanner in a seaplane made a water landing and picked up both of them. He was under terrific gunfire and in great danger all of the time.

May 24 will be the fourth anniversary of the dedication of Harvey Parks Airport, which for many months was the home of Sikeston's air school, the Missouri Institute of Aeronautics. On May 24, four years ago, two Sikeston high school seniors, Betty Jane Taylor and Colleen Rayburn, stood on a platform in front of the cafeteria building and unveiled a plaque officially dedicating the airport in memory of Harvey A. Park's longtrime air instructor and brother of Oliver Parks, president of the Missouri Institute of Aeronautics.

20 years ago
May 19, 1955

Charleston--Mrs. Katherine Jennings Rushing, 24, a former resident here, died Tuesday enroute to a St. Louis hospital after she had been rushed there because of a heart ailment.

Miss Pansy Alexander and Gerald Inman have chosen May 29 as the date for their wedding, which will be performed at the Methodist Church by the Rev. M.G. Joyce. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Inman will serve as attendants.

Sikeston's try for the Southeast Missouri Baseball Conference championship was thwarted for the second straight year at Cape Girardeau Tuesday when Central took the Bulldogs 2-1. Moore scored the only run for Sikeston.

A group of children received their first communion last Sunday at St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church. They were: Beth Mayfield, Darlene Donner, Linda Wallace, Patricia Lewis, Sandra Kay Ryan, Sherry York, John Gaither, Beth Leible, Linda Faye Schaeffer, Sally Ann Gladney, Judy Ferguson, Susie Ernst, Jane Childs, Paul Miederhoff, Ronnie Grojean, Julian Hann, Danny Kern, David Synder, Kenny Fama, Scottie Farris, Steve Paul Bowman, Robert Fuchs, Kenny Paylor, Garry Lee Vinson, Garry Raidt, Ross Millburn, and Larry Balicki.

Morehouse--Valedictorian of the 1955 Morehouse High School graduating class was Billie Crumpecker, daughter of Mrs. Gladys Crumpecker; and salutatorian was Bill Salings, son of Mr. and Mrs. Connard Salings.

Portageville--William J. White, 73, retired farmer, died at his home here today of a heart condition for which he had been under treatment for some time.

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820 N. MAIN 471-2841 SIKESTON, MO.

Medic alert importance stressed for travelers

TURLOCK, Calif. — It was the same old story for traveler Donald Lewis. His peaceful sumber was broken by the highway patrol. Another drunk? No, the cautious Lewis was parked by the highway, sleeping off the effects of medication he takes for a nervous disorder. But try convincing an officer when the symptoms are similar to inebriation.

"At the station house," Lewis wrote to Medic Alert, "the police gave me tests to see if I had been drinking. I blew up more balloons than a clown at a circus and took so many blood tests I thought I was a blood bank. Of course, the results were negative."

A doctor then told Lewis to get a Medic Alert emblem. Now he goes about his business, crisscrossing the country with no side trips to the police station.

"Better yet," adds Lewis who is highly allergic to penicillin, "I have been in three foreign countries where I was ill and Medic Alert helped me. Twice in Mexico and once in the Bahamas, it prevented penicillin injections. In Canada, medicine for my nervous disorder was provided while my doctor was contacted."

People with hidden or special medical problems have a definite need for emergency medical identification, a requirement that becomes especially urgent for travelers.

The Medic Alert system of protection provides an alerting device in the form of a bracelet or necklace, which is designed to relay quickly a vital message.

In an emergency, an individual's medical secrets can complicate -- and sometimes defeat -- rescue efforts of doctors who have no contact with the patient's family or personal physician and who have no way of knowing the hidden medical problem or problems. These problems include diabetics, heart conditions or epilepsy involving individuals taking life-sustaining medications and people with allergies to medications that could prove fatal if administered.

Medic Alert Foundation International, a nonprofit organization, provides and emergency medical information system designed to meet this need. Worn on the wrist or around the neck, the Medic Alert emblem communicates hidden medical situations to emergency personnel when the patient cannot.

"Medic Alert" and the internationally recognized caduceus are emblazoned in red on the outer side of the emblem. On the reverse side are the members's hidden medical problem, his file number and an emergency telephone number at Medic Alert headquarters to call for further information. Within 30 seconds of receiving a collect call from emergency personnel, Medic Alert relays vital information that can help further to save a member's life.

There are 15 Medic Alert affiliates in other countries and the emblem is recognized in every part of the world. In addition, the foundation is endorsed by numerous medical organizations, such as the American Academy of Family Physicians, American Nurses Association and American Diabetes Association.

Today, there are over 550,000 Medic Alert members. However, the American Medical Association estimates one out of every five, or an additional 40 million Americans could benefit by wearing the lifeguarding emblem.

MALL CINEMA SIKESTON
KINGSWAY PLAZA CENTER 471-0566
7:30 NIGHTLY

BARBRA STREISAND RYAN O'NEAL IN "WHAT'S UP, DOC?"

MALONE
107 W MALONE 471-43
7:00 NIGHTLY NDS WED
"BLOOD CREATURE" PLUS

RATED R
willy's gone
for a moment he was free
COLOR BY MOVIELAB

MALCO TWIN 1
MID-TOWNER CENTER
NOW 7:30 NIGHTLY

BURT REYNOLDS AS GATOR IN "WHITE LIGHTNING"
PG

MALCO TWIN 2
471-8420
NOW 7:30

FUN'N GAMES and the GIGGLES ARE GUARANTEED!
HE WANTS AND SHE WANTS BUT . . .

NOT NOW DARLING!
IN BODLEY'S FUR STORE, THE FUR REALLY FLIES . . . WITH LAUGHS!
STARRING LESLIE PHILLIPS • JULIE EGE • RAY COONEY AS CROTCH • SCREENPLAY BY JOHN CHAPMAN
PRODUCED BY PETER J. THOMPSON & MARTIN C. SCHUTE • DIRECTED BY DAVID CROFT & RAY COONEY • AN LMG-SEDGEMOOR PRODUCTION • A DIMENSION PICTURES RELEASE
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TUESDAY IS BARGAIN NIGHT
AT ALL THEATRES
ADULTS $1.25

THE FAMILY CIRCUS By Bil Keane



"We're not runnin' through the house, Daddy — we're JOGGIN'!"



"How come the only letters that arrive on time are the ones that start with 'unless. . .'?"



"You were all born in Mercy Hospital except Willis, and he was born in our 1968 Chevvy!"

STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Tuesday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 Go	31 Mood	61 Plans
2 More	32 Ideas	62 Vigorously
3 Fine	33 Those	63 On
4 A	34 People	64 To
5 Take	35 Push	65 Important
6 Nothing	36 Are	66 Matters
7 Successful	37 To	67 Time
8 For	38 That	68 Peace
9 For	39 Your	69 Today
10 Entertaining	40 Please	70 Out
11 Than	41 Oppose	71 As
12 Try	42 Superiors	72 Gamble
13 Give	43 You're	73 Be
14 You'll	44 Free	74 Indicated
15 Be	45 Or	75 Plans
16 To	46 Your	76 Daydream
17 Prepared	47 Achieve	77 Unreliable
18 Cheer	48 To	78 Today
19 Be	49 Down	79 Made
20 Finish	50 With	80 And
21 Don't	51 Likely	81 Reminisce
22 Granted	52 Officials	82 Sudden
23 Halfway	53 To	83 Opposite
24 And	54 Good	84 Their
25 Dancing	55 To	85 Sex
26 In	56 For	86 Earlier
27 Don't	57 Surprises	87 Luck
28 Being	58 Carry	88 Moves
29 Resent	59 Luck	89 Is
30 To	60 Such	90 Ripe

Good · Adverse · 5/20 Neutral

ARIES MAR. 21 – APR. 19 — 1- 2-11-23 — 37-47-68

TAURUS APR. 20 – MAY 20 — 35-39-54-59 — 62-67-89-90

GEMINI MAY 21 – JUNE 20 — 43-44-55-58 — 70-75-79-86

CANCER JUNE 21 – JULY 22 — 15-17-56-57 — 60-71-82-88

LEO JULY 23 – AUG. 22 — 21-29-32-38 — 41-46-61

VIRGO AUG. 23 – SEPT. 22 — 14-19-26-31 — 48-76-80-81

LIBRA SEPT. 23 – OCT. 22 — 4- 7-20-64 — 65-66-74

SCORPIO OCT. 23 – NOV. 21 — 13-18-30-33 — 49-63-84-87

SAGITTARIUS NOV. 22 – DEC. 21 — 3- 8-10-25 — 28-50-83-85

CAPRICORN DEC. 22 – JAN. 19 — 12-16-40-42 — 45-52-69

AQUARIUS JAN. 20 – FEB. 18 — 5- 6- 9-22 — 24-27-72

PISCES FEB. 19 – MAR. 20 — 34-36-51-53 — 73-77-78



"ALRIGHT, ALRIGHT, COME DOWN! I'LL HAVE A LIGHT INSTALLED IN YOUR DOGHOUSE!"

OUR BOARDING HOUSE with Major Hoople



OUT OUR WAY by Neg Cochran



Have Fun

ACROSS

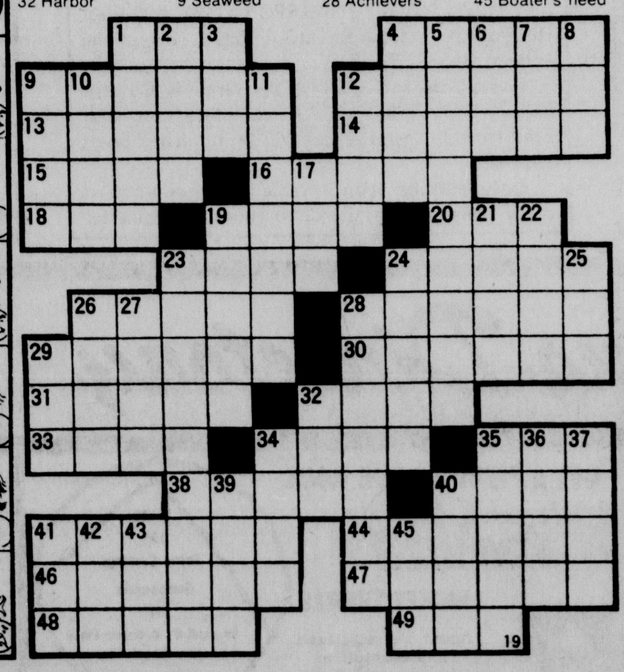
1 Amusement
4 Forms of play
9 Greek market places
12 Winged fruit
13 Town in Italy
14 Escaped by cunning
15 Deities
16 Hollow places
18 Public notices (coll.)
19 Alcoholic beverage
20 Freudian term
23 Liquor made of honey
24 Facial expression
26 Bulge
28 Solid (comb. form)
29 Prizes
30 Chinese seaport
31 Dens
32 Harbor
33 Against
34 Remedy
35 Equal status
38 New England state
40 Constellation
41 Concealed
44 Laughed boisterously
46 Juicy fruit
47 French existentialist
48 —— Domingo
49 Beam of light

DOWN

1 Shallow places in streams
2 Noun suffixes
3 Burmese spirte
4 Strong wind
5 Fun
6 Insane
7 Before
8 Dejected
9 Seaweed
10 —— time
11 Informal gatherings
12 Wine delicacy (Fr.)
17 As well as
19 Unites closely
21 Encircled
22 Oil (comb. form)
23 Hilarity
24 Fixed look
25 Ages and ages
26 Lake bird
27 Stay in anticipation
28 Achievers
29 Winglike part
32 Play on words
34 Quote
35 Social event
36 State
37 Went on horseback
39 Jason's ship (myth.)
40 Brazilian estuary
41 Kind of lettuce
42 Mouthlike openings (anat.)
43 Mover's truck
45 Boater's need

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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STEVE CANYON By Milton Caniff



CAPTAIN EASY By Crooks & Lawrence



MARY WORTH By Saunders and Ernst



PEANUTS By Schulz



ALLEY OOP By Grave



THE PHANTOM By Falk & Berry



THE RYATTS By Jack Elrod



BEETLE BAILEY By Mort Walker



Today in U.S. History

By The Associated Press

Today is Monday, May 19, the 139th day of 1975. There are 226 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1536, the second queen of England's King Henry VIII, Anne Boleyn, was beheaded in London.

On this date —

In 1588, the 130 ships of the Spanish Armada sailed from Lisbon, Portugal.

In 1795, the Baltimore philanthropist, John Hopkins, was born near Annapolis, Md.

In 1876, an exposition marking the American Centennial opened in Philadelphia.

In 1943, British Prime Minister Winston Church ll told the U.S. Congress that America had full British support in the war against Japan.

In 1945, more than 400 U.S. Superfortress bombers attacked Tokyo.

In 1964, the U.S. State Department disclosed that 40 secret microphones had been found hidden in the U.S. Embassy in Moscow.

Ten years ago: The two warring factions in a revolution in the Dominican Republic agreed to a 12-hour humanitarian truce to remove the dead and injured from battle areas in the capital of Santo Domingo.

Five years ago: Communist troops shelled more than 60 Allied positions in South Vietnam, marking the 80th birthday of Ho Chi Minh.

One year ago: Finance Minister Valery Giscard d'Estaing was elected President of France.

Today's birthday: Labor arbitrator Theodore Kheel is 61.

Thought for today: Of all the things you wear, your expression is the most important. — John Ruskin, English writer and art critic, 1819-1900.

They'll Do It Every Time



Letters to the Editor

A Letter to The Citizens of Portageville.

As your alderman for the past year, I promised to work with the city officials and citizens of our great city to the best interest of all persons concerned, regardless of race, creed or color, to the best of my ability and show no partiality.

I try to spend you tax money as wisely and in the bestinterest of our city. I believe in making our city a safer place to live by checking trees on the streets that is dangerous to the general public and dark intersections where you can't see oncoming traffic, as well as dead trees, dangerous to the public.

I have had a lot of good and bad criticism, most of it good. When I receive a complaint, I check it ou immediately, day or night. I can't satisfy everyone but as your alderman, I do the best I can, because that's what you elected me to do. I've worked closely with the police department and street department to search out and correct dangerous intersections. We have some faithful city employees who are doing their best to make this a better city.

I have tried to get a 50 Dollar a month raise for the police department. They have not had a raise in two years. They get 440 Dollars a Month, and have to buy their own uniforms. We know the cost of living has gone up, but every time I bring this up, the City Board votes me down.

I have been informed by the City Clerk that the city doesn't have the money. In the last few months we have had employees who did get raises, and we have two employeees, who have been with our city for a number of years and are retiring. The board has agreed to continue their salary for six months after they retire. They didn't ask for this. One salary is a Thousand Dollas a month, the other 175 Dollars. The board says this is a token for their past faithful work. But we had an employee who worked faithfull for several years and did a good job, but he didn't get two weeks pay when had to quit. He is now working nowhere because of total disability, living on disability and social security. I can't understand the fairness of your tax dollars being spent this way.

I am the first to agree that our city employees should have a retirement plan,so they can be paid when they can no longer work.

We have two city employees ho have just resigned. One has been a faithful employeefor five years, the other for one year, because they couldn't get a raise.

Ever since I have been your alderman, I have taken it upon myself, with the cooperation of the Police department to correct the dog sitation, which is a very big problem. I have had no help from the other aldermen.

I have no ill feelings toward anyone, and I am still going to work for the best interests of the city and tax payer, the mayor and the aldermen.

If you find anything in this letter, that is in error, I will apologize.

I think that if the public knows the situation, the Police will get a raise.

Respectfully,
Pete Clay,
Alderman Ward II

A MYSTERY SWEET RECIPE

A grain of sugar,
A pint of spice.
And everything else,
You can think of that's nice.
Mix together with Love and Care.
And all the nice things,
that you share.
Then add a dash of sunshine
To make everything just right.
Bake at temperature of 10 degrees Fairenheight.
Let it bake for 3 hours or so
Bring it out of the oven and what do you know.
An instant Mother,
To love and to hold.
by
Karen Michelle Merideth

"BECAUSE THE PEOPLE MUST KNOW"

NOTICE OF FILING OF FINAL SETTLEMENT AND PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION
(Sec. 473.587, RSMo.)
STATE OF MISSOURI,)
SS.)
COUNTY OF SCOTT)
d IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI AT BENTON, MISSOURI

In the estate of)
LOUIS JEWEL BLALACK,)
deceased.)
Estate No. 4415

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF LOUIS JEWEL BLALACK, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that a final settlement and petition for determination of the persons who are the successors in interst to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein and for distribution of such property, will be filed in the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri by the undersigned on the 6th day of June, 1975 or as continued by the court, and that any objections or exceptions to such settlement or petition or any item thereof must be in writing and filed within ten eays after the filing of such settlement.

Kenneth L. Dement
Attorney
310 W. North,
Sikeston, Missouri
314 471-1833

Jessie Odell Blalack
Executrix
RFD 4,
Sikeston, Missouri
314 471-0149

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NOT RESPONSIBLE LEGAL

I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by anyone other than myself as of this date, May 19, 1975.

Barry R. Hill
414 West Gladys
Sikeston, Mo.

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NOTICE OF LETTERS TESTAMENTARY GRANTED
(Sec. 473.033, RSMo. as amended 1969.)
STATE OF MISSOURI)
SS.)
COUNTY OF SCOTT)
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, Missouri at BENTON, MISSOURI

In the estate of)
Frances L. Stallcup)
deceased.)
Estate No. 4495

To all persons interested in the estate of Frances L. Stallcup, decedent:

On the 15th day of May, 1975, the last Will of Frances L. Stallcup was admitted to probate and David E. Blanton was appointed the executor of the estate of Frances L. Stallcup decedent, by the probate court of Scott, County, Missouri, on the 15th day of May, 1975. The business address of the executor is 219 South Kingshigh way, Sikeston, Missouri whose telephone number is 471-1000 and his attorneys are Blanton, Blanton, Rice and Sickal, whose business address is 219 South Kingshigh way, Sikeston, Missouri, and whose telephone number is 471 1000.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of this notice or be forever barred.

All persons interested are notified that such court, at the times and as provided by law, will determine thepersons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein.

Date of first publication is May 19th, 1975.

(SEAL) Almaretta Huber
Clerk
Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri

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NOTICE OF LETTERS TESTAMENTARY GRANTED
(Sec. 473.033, RSMo. as amended 1969.)
STATE OF MISSOURI)
SS.)
COUNTY OF SCOTT)
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI AT BENTON, MISSOURI

In the estate of)
Lotus Walker Emerson)
deceased.)
Estate No. 4472

To all persons interested in the estate of Lotus Walker Emerson, decedent:

On the 23rd day of April, 1975, the last Will of Lotus Walker Emerson was admitted to probate and Ruby Walker Eimer was appointed the executrix of the estate of Lotus Walker Emerson decedent, by the probate court of Scott, County, Missouri, on the 23rd day of April, 1975. The business address of the executrix is 3863 West Pine, Apt. 609, St. Louis, Missouri whose telephone number is 535-2588 and her attorney is Robert A. Dempster of Dempster, Yokley and Fuchs whose business address is 215 North Stoddard, Sikeston, Missouri, and whose telephone number is 471-3210.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of this notice or be forever barred.

All persons interested are notified that such court, at the times and as provided by law, will determine the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein.

Date of first publication is April 25th, 1975.

(SEAL) Almaretta Huber
Clerk
Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri

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2. Card of Thanks

Our deepest and most sincere appreciation to each of you who helped many ways during the loss of our loved one Julia Morgan. Our gratitude to the staff of the Shelby Funeral Home. Brother Harrison Brack, May Dale Sater, organist, Fayette Marshall Family Singers, and to her nephews, the pall bearers. To all who brought food and flowers and especiall those who remembered us in prayer. Our sorrow was made easier to bare through the support and love of each of you.

The family of Julia Morgan
5-19-75

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING SECTION RATES

Minimum three day run. Cash discount of 50c if paid within four days after insertion date.

Ads run on Tuesday will be inserted in Shopper Topper at an additional one day charge.

DEADLINE

Ads to be taken out of next days publication must be called in by 4 p.m. the day before. Copy must be suemitted by 4 p.m. the day before publication. Monday through Thursday, 11 a.m.. Friday deadline.

ERRORS

We must be notified the first day of publication of errors, after that you will be charged.

Ads willbe taken from 9 to 12 on Saturday.

6. Sleeping Rooms

Sleeping room for rent. Private bath. Call 471-7518.
5-20-75

7. Apartments - Furn.

Furnished apartments, utilities paid. Adults. 471-9942.
TF

Furnished apartment for rent with utilities paid. Call 472-0854 or 471-5470.
TF

Two bedroom furnished apartment, carpeted, adults only. No pets, $150 month without utilities. 472-0764.
TF

Three room furnished apartment. 471-2772.
TF

2 room furnished, air conditioned, apartment. Adults. 471-2377.
5-19-75

2 room apartment. Comfortably furnished air conditioned. Call 471-5297.
TF

Small cottage. No children. No pets. 471-8861.
5-20-75

9. House For Rent

For Rent: 2 bedroom furnished house. 471-9942.
TF

Cottage: Professional or retired person. Deposit, air 471-1804.
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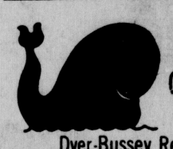
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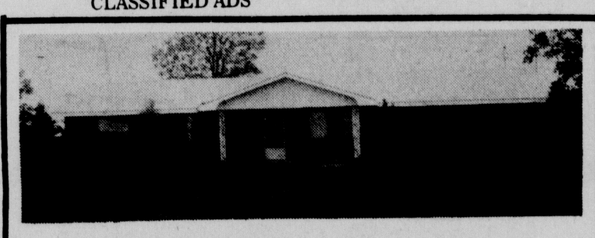
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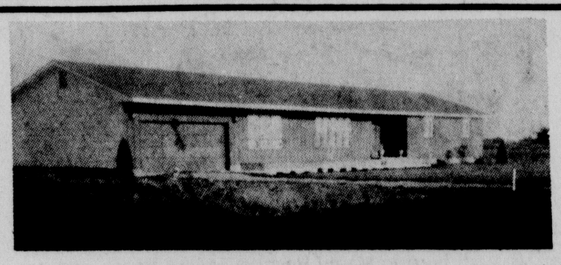
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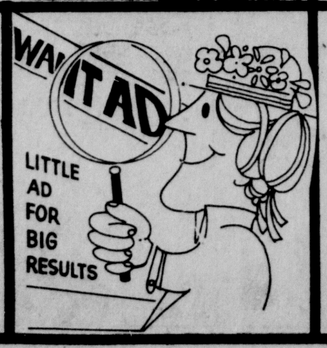
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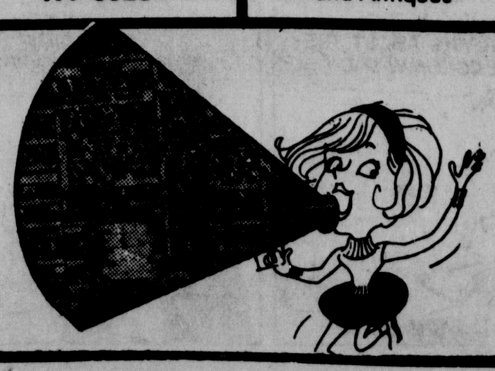
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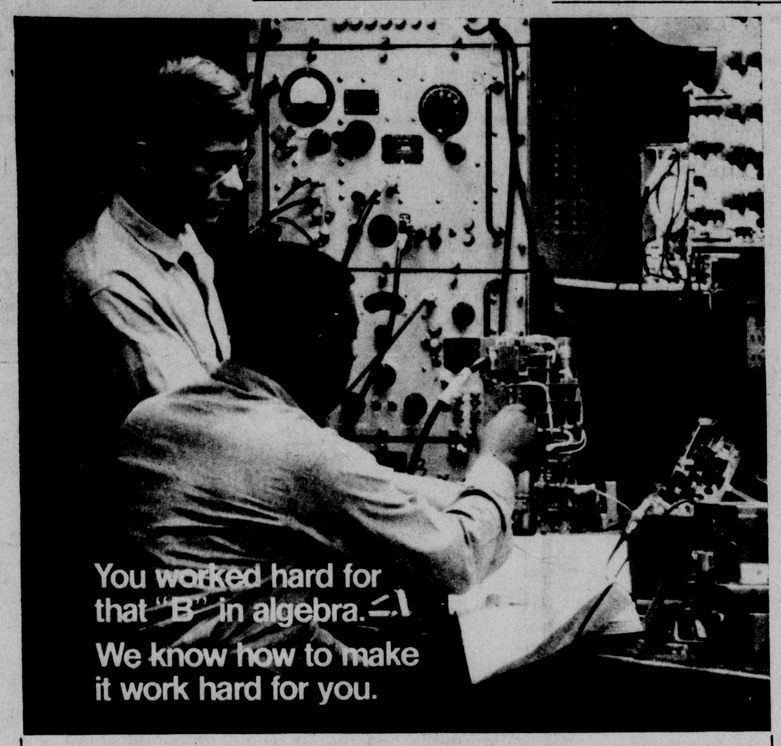
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28. New & Used Cars

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For Sale: 1974 Corvette. 471-6053.

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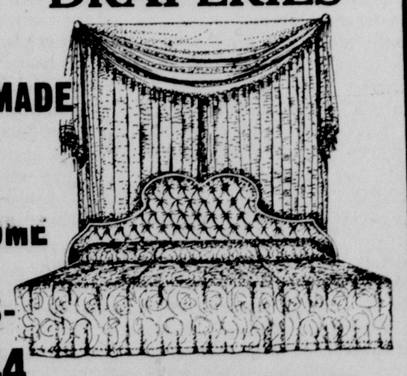
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Deaths

Homer C. Beck

Homer Clyde Beck, 85, of 126 School St., a retired farmer, died at 9:50 a.m. Sunday in the Host House at Charleston.

He was born April 18, 1890 at Eddyville, Ky.

He was a member of Murray Lane Baptist Church and the Sikeston Odd Fellows Lodge No. 358.

Survivors include one son, Phillip Beck of Oran; one daughter, Mrs. Lavada Yount of Sikeston; and six grandchildren.

Friends may call at Nunnelee Funeral Chapel, where Odd Fellow rites will be conducted at 7 p.m. today.

Services are scheduled at 11 a.m. Tuesday in the Nunnelee Chapel with the Rev. Wade Paris, pastor of Murray Lane Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial will follow in Garden of Memories cemetery.

Allen Harrison

Allen "Jack" Harrison, 58, of 207 S. Kingshighway died Saturday at St. Francis Hospital in Cape Girardeau.

He was born Jan. 20, 1917 to the late Robert L. and Ella P. Harrison.

He had been a salesman for Moorman Feed Co. for the last 10 years. Prior to that he was employed by the state weights and measures department.

Survivors include two brothers, Charles Harrison of Sikeston and Lyman Harrison of Benton; three sisters, Ruth and Mary Harrison of Sikeston and Mrs. Martha Harty of Jefferson City.

Services were conducted at 2 p.m. today in Welsh Funeral Home by the Rev. Otto Dvorak, pastor of First United Methodist Church.

Burial followed in the old city cemetery at Morley.

Pallbearers were Bob Harrison, Dick Harrison, Bob Harty, Dale Ham, Rick Adams and Harold Ragains.

Flora Wilmurth

EAST PRAIRIE — Flora Wilmurth, 82, died 11:30 p.m. Saturday in Missouri Delta Community Hospital at Sikeston following an extended illness.

She was born Sept. 5, 1892 in the Henson community to the late Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Wilson and had lived all her life in Mississippi County.

She had been active in Nelson Memorial United Methodist Church at East Prairie and First Baptist Church at Charleston.

Her first husband, John Edgar Lemons, died in 1927. In 1937, she married W. B. Wilmurth, who died in 1950. One son also preceded her in death.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Joseph Webb of East Prairie, and 10 grandchildren.

Services were conducted at 3 p.m. today in Shelby Funeral Home at Charleston by the Revs. John Hayes, pastor of the Nelson Memorial United Methodist Church, and Ted Wimberly, pastor of First Baptist at East Prairie.

Burial followed in IOOF Cemetery near Charleston.

S. L. Bridges

MALDEN — Spenser Lloyd Bridges, 64, a Federal Mogul Corp., employe died Saturday at his home.

He was born Aug. 15, 1910 in Wayne County.

On Aug. 23, 1969, he married Martha Brown, who survives.

Other survivors include one daughter, Bonnie Frances of Duren; one brother, Samuel Lloyd Bridges of Independence; and five grandchildren and six stepgrandchildren.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the Spoonerville Missionary Baptist Church. The Rev's Terry Lynn Clark and Delmer McNeely will officiate.

Burial will follow in Memorial Park Cemetery with Landess Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Nevada Cantwell

EAST PRAIRIE — Services for Mrs. Nevada Cantwll, 86, of Leesburg, Fla., a former East Prairie resident who died Friday in Leesburg, were conducted at 1:30 p.m. Sunday in Shelby Funeral Home by Aubrey Wilson of East Prairie.

Burial followed in East Prairie Memorial Park Cemetery.

Born March 16, 1889 in Arkansas, she was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Russell and had lived in East Prairie most of her life.

She was a member of the Church of Christ.

In August, 1909, she married John C. Cantwell, who survives.

Also surviving are five daughters, Mrs. Irene Harris of Dade City, Fla., Mrs. Venita Cockman of Anderson, Ind., Mrs. Reba Story of Leesburg, Mrs. Fairy Brown of Mount Dora, Fla., and Dovie Bush of Salt Springs, Fla.; four sons, Carl Cantwell of Swartz Creek, Mich., General Cantwell of Cleveland, Tenn., John Cantwell of Columbus, Ga., and Lewis Cantwell of Palatka, Fla..; one brother, Will Russell of Arkansas; and 40 grandchildren and 52 great- grandchildren.

Melvin Limbaugh

Mrs. Melvin Bowman Limbaugh, 73, of 411 Tanner St., died at 2:15 a.m. Saturday in Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

She was born May 26, 1901 in Sikeston to the late William and Emma Bowman.

On April 5, 1925, she married the late Milem L. Limbaugh who preceded her in death June 16, 1964.

She was a member of Trinity Baptist Church and the Order of Eastern Star 137 of Sikeston.

Survivors include four brothers, Lee R. Bowman, Sam S. Bowman and Joe Bowman of Sikeston and W. C. "Bill" Bowman of Montgomery, La.; one sister, Mrs. L. P. (Mildred) Hulick of Pasadena, Calif.

Services were Sunday at 3 p.m. in Trinity Baptist Church with the Rev. Tom Geers, pastor of the church, officiating. Burial was in Memorial Park Cemetery with Welsh Funeral Home in charge.

Pallbearers were Van Strickland Jr., Ray Clinton, Jim Beaird, Glen Forbis, Rev. A. B. Ledbetter and Sam Harbin.

Clarence Kilmer

MALDEN — Clarence A. "Froggie" Kilmer, 46, an insurance agent and a member of the board of directors of First National Bank, died Saturday at Calhoun County Memorial Hospital in Bruce, Miss., of an apparent heart attack.

Born Jan. 29, 1929 at Morley, he was the son of the late Roy Raymond Kilmer and Mayme Harris Kilmer of Dexter.

He was a member of First Southern Baptist Church.

On Nov. 24, 1950, he married Joy Henderson, who survives.

Other survivors include four daughters, Karen Hoehn of Bowling Green, Ky., and Sharon, Judith and Joan Kilmer of the home, and one brother, Van H. Kilmer of Bloomfield.

Friends may call after 5 p.m. today at Landess Funeral Home, where services are scheduled at 10 a.m. Tuesday. The Rev. Don Cochran will officiate.

Burial will follow in Dexter Cemetery.

Bertie Sumpter

MALDEN — Bertie Minnie Sumpter, 87, a former school teacher, died Friday at Ridgeview Manor Nursing Home.

She was born June 12, 1887 in Wayne County to the late Peter and Lucinda Hovis Ward.

On Nov. 16, 1910, she married Frank Sumpter, who survives.

Other survivors include six daughters, Mr. Leo M. Corder of Malden, Mrs. R. H. Lamar of Gideon, Mrs. Russ Hamer of Fullerton, Calif., Mrs. Richard McCain Paducah, Ky., Mrs. Bob LaForce of Tustin, Calif., and Mrs. Gale Davis of Kennett; one sister, Mrs. Harvey Almond of Bellflower, Calif.; and several grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Services were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday in Landess Funeral Home by the Rev. Sterling Aubuchon.

Burial followed in Park Cemetery.

Joseph Stryker

PORTAGEVILLE — Joseph T. Stryker, 74, a retired contractor, died Saturday in St. Joseph Hospital at Memphis, Tenn., where he had been a patient for four weeks.

Born July 19, 1900 in Penn Yan, N.Y., he was the son of the late George Bailey and Mary Alice Townsend Stryker.

He had lived in Portageville for 32 years and was a fourth degree knight in the Knights of Columbus.

Survivors include three sisters, Margaret Barnett and Agnes and Alice Stryker of Memphis.

Friends may call at DeLisle Funeral Home, where a rosary will be recited at 7:30 p.m. today.

A funeral mass is scheduled at 10 a.m. Tuesday in St. Eustachius Catholic Church with the Rev. Amel Shibley officiating.

Graveside rites and burial will follow at 2:30 p.m. in Calvary Cemetery at Memphis, Tenn.

Michael Bivens

Michael Wayne Bivens, 17, of Route One, died Saturday from injuries received in an automobile accident five miles east of Puxico.

Born Aug. 8, 1957, he was the son of R. G. Bivens of Route One, and Marjorie McIntyre of Bell City. He was a member of the senior class at Scott Central High School.

Surviving other than his parents are one brother, Roy Glen Bivens of Bell City; two step-brothers, Burlie Wayne and Timothy Dan McIntyre of Oran; his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bivens of Vanduser; paternal great- grandmother, Lula C. Bivens of Holy Grove, Ark.; maternal grandparents, Jack Grisham of Rogersville, Okla. and Vernie Grisham of Florance, Ala.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. today at Scott Central High School Gymnasium with the Rev. Lloyd Boley of Bell City officiating.

Burial followed in the New Morley Cemetery.

Ruby Ausley

NEW MADRID — Mrs. Ruby A. Ausley, 63, died at 1 a.m. today at Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston, following a two-months illness.

Her husband, Lee Ausley preceded her in death.

Survivors include one son, Marvin Lee Ausley of Springfield, Ill.; one daughter, Betty Lou Norton of Clarkton; two brothers, Herschel Decker of Medord, Ore., and Virgil Decker of Sikeston; one sister, Mrs. Luther Dodd of Morehouse; and five grandchildren.

Friends may call after 10 a.m. Tuesday at Richard Funeral Home where arrangements are incomplete.

Esther Johnson

NORFOLK, Va. — Esther May Johnson, 93, formerly of Morehouse, Mo. died at midnight Sunday at Virginia Beach.

She was born May 31, 1881 in Hickory Grove to the late George and Viola Greene Johnson.

On Aug. 25, 1897 she married Lloyd Carter Johnson, who preceded her in death Feb. 10, 1936.

They had lived in Morehouse, Mo. for many years.

Survivors include three children, Tom Johnson of Jackson, Miss., Allie Enlow of Norfolk, and Elizabeth Rogers of Morehouse; and 11 grandchildren, 29 great-grandchildren and four great-great grandchildren.

Friends may call at Holloman-Brown Funeral Chapel in Norfolk where services are scheduled at 3 p.m. Tuesday. The Rev. Robert Eason, pastor of Wesleyan Memorial United Methodist Church will officiate.

Burial will be in Memorial Garden Cemetery in Norfolk.

Awards show accents women

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The threat of a boycott by directors and writers passed, the television industry was ready for its biggest night of the year — the Emmy awards.

The stars and series makers gather tonight at the Hollywood Palladium for the 27th annual awards outpouring — a minimum of 63 Emmies to be conferred during the two-hour-plus telecast (CBS, 9 p.m. EDT.)

Except for Katharine Hepburn, Laurence Olivier and a few others, most of the nominees are expected to be in the audience.

As in previous years, the show's producers tried to eliminate acceptance speeches by directors, writers and other non performers.

Predictably, the Directors and Writers guilds rebelled and threatened a boycott. As before, the Academy capitulated.

This year's show puts the accent on femininity, with a parade of actresses as emcees, replacing the usual gag-ridden comedians.

The hostesses: Lucille Ball, Carol Burnett, Mary Tyler Moore, Beatrice Arthur, Jean Stapleton, Cher, Teresa Graves, Michael Learned, Karen Valentine and Susan Saint James.

How will the awards go? The Emmies are even more difficult to predict than the Oscars, since the TV awards are not voted by the Academy membership but by blue-ribbon committees.

Usually the number of nominations are a good barometer, hence "QB VII" is an automatic favorite. The ABC-Columbia Television six-hour film about a libel trial drew the most nominations — 13.

Among the series, "MASH" was the leader with 11, followed by "The Mary Tyler Moore Show" with 9. Two winners of yesteryear, "All in the Family" and "The Waltons," could manage only four apiece.

The hottest race is in the category of lead actress in a special program.

Unlike the Oscars, which have been weak in performances by actresses, the Emmies have five remarkable performances to choose from: Jill Clayburgh, "Hustling"; Elizabeth Montgomery, "The Legend of Lizzie Borden"; Diana Rigg, "In This House of Brede"; Maureen Stapleton, "The Queen of The Stardust Ballroom"; Katharine Hepburn, "Love Among the Ruins."

As usual, the Emmies could be won in bitter victories by lame ducks. Among the nominees are Tony Randall an Jack Klugman for "The Odd Couple," which has been canceled by ABC.

Casualties higher than first count

WASHINGTON (AP) — American casualties in the Mayaguez rescue were substantially higher than originally reported and now stand at five dead, 16 missing and 70 to 80 wounded.

A White House spokesman denied today that there was any news management in the delay in announcing the casualties.

But Press Secretary Ron Nessen said President Ford was somewhat puzzled over the slowness in totaling the losses.

"There was no intention to hide the bad news. There was no intention to hide the casualties," Nessen said.

The new casualty figures from the air, ground and sea operation in the Gulf of Thailand were disclosed Sunday by Defense Secretary James R. Schlesinger. On Friday the Pentagon had put preliminary casualtiy figures at one Marine killed, 22 wounded and 13 Marines and airmen missing.

"The President regrets even one casualty — and he certainly regrets all of the casualties," Nessen said.

He said the President is "frustrated at not being able to get all the figures and he is somewhat puzzled about the length of time taken."

Questioned about the length of time, Nessen said "Generally speaking, during the operation, people were spread over a number of ships and several were separated from their units. It just takes time to get firm figures."

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Veterans Hospital in Poplar Bluff.

David J. Keller, 10, of St. Louis was injured at 12:10 p.m. Sunday when he was struck by a pickup truck driven by George E. Cade, 62, of Farmington while fishing off a bridge in Silver Mines State Park, located on Route D in Madison County.

Cade told authorities the boy stood up just as he attempted to cross the bridge. He said the rear view mirror on the truck hit the boy and knocked him under the r ear wheels; which ran over his legs.

The boy was taken to the Madison County hospital.

James David Banken, 16, and Ruth Eskew, 20, of Dexter received minor injuries in a single-car accident at 4:30 p.m. sunday on Route F half a mile north of Aid in Stoddard County.

The accident occurred when Banken failed to stop at a stop sign and his car ran off the road and hit an embankment.

Both were taken to Dexter Memorial Hospital.

David W. Isoh, 17, of Lutesville and Mary E. Huston, 17, of Marbie Hill received minor injuries in a one-car accident at 4:15 p.m. Sunday on Route DD four miles southeast of Marquand.

The accident occurred when Isoh lost control of a pickup truck which ran off the left side of the road, then back on to the road and overturned.

Both were treated at Madison County Memorial Hospital.

Lydia Crites, 77, of Jackson received moderate injuries in a two-car accident on Highway 72 one mile west of Jackson at 8:50 p.m. Sunday. She was a passenger in a car driven by Jesse Daniel Crites, 78, of Jackson.

The accident occurred when a car driven by Betty Sue Hahs, 17, of Jackson attempted to make a left turn and her car was struck from behind by the Crites car.

Mrs. Crites was taken to Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape Girardeau.

Peace prize winner remains in coma

TOKYO (AP) — Former Japanese Prime Minister Eisaku Sato collapsed tonight at a restaurant in Tokyo while meeting with businssmen, his secretary said.

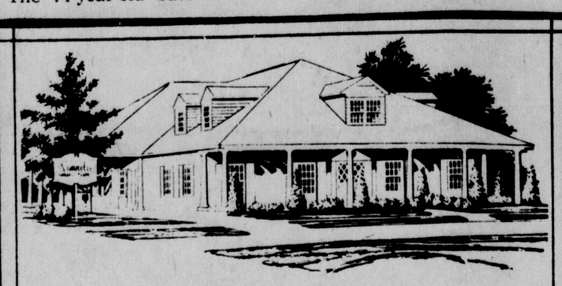
He said Sato was in a coma and was being treated by doctors at the restaurant. No other details were available, he added.

Doctors said Sato suffered an apoplexy and as of 11:30 p.m. — 10:30 a.m. EDT — he had not regained consciousness.

The 74-year-old Sato shared the 1974 Nobel Peace Prize with former Irish Foreign Minister Sean MacBride for his role in promoting peace and stability in East Asia during nearly eight years as Japanese prime minister from 1964 to 1972.

Correction

Bob Walker was incorrectly identified as Bob Wells in the photograph of the electric car in the Saturday edition of the Daily Standard.



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Prairie youth drowns

EAST PRAIRIE--An East Prairie youth, Stephen Ray Patrick, 16, son of Mrs. Vivian Patrick of Charleston and the late Everett Patrick, drowned about 7:30 p.m. Sunday in the 34 Corner Blue Hole near East Prairie.

The youth was with a group of friends having a barbecue at the Blue Hole. Shortly after eating, he re-entered the water and disappeared.

The body was recovered about 9 p.m. by Mississippi County Rescue Squad.

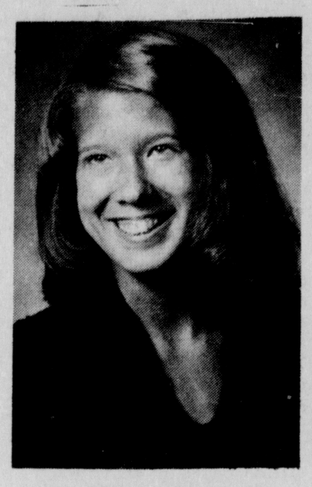
The death has been ruled accidental by Elgin McMikle, Mississippi County Coroner.

Patrick was born Aug. 25, 1959 in Charleston where he had lived most of his life. Prior to his death, he was living at 207 Pecan St. in East Prairie.

Surviving in addition to his mother are five brothers, Ronnie Patrick of San Diego, Calif., Roy Gene Patrick and Richard Patrick of East Prairie, Billy Patrick of Elburn, Ill. and Michael Patrick of Charleston, and one sister, Janet Kirby of Aurora, Ill.

Friends may call at McMikle Funeral Home in Charleston where services are scheduled for 2 p.m. Tuesday. The Rev. Larry Long, pastor of First Christian Church, will officiate.

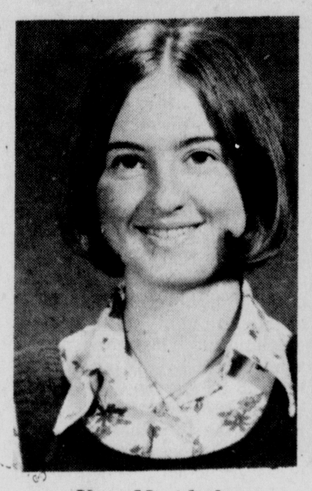
Burial will follow in Oak Grove Cemetery near Charleston.



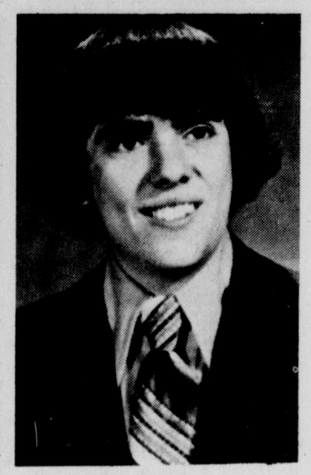
Diane White



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4 to speak at commencement

Diane White, Andrea Harber, Katy Merideth and Philip Hunott will be the principal student speakers Friday night at commencement exercises for 258 Sikeston High School seniors.

The program will begin at 7 p.m. at the football stadium. If it rains, exercises will be held in the fieldhouse.

Seniors will report to the high school at 8 a.m. Friday for rehearsal in their caps and gowns.

Graduates will march onto the football field to the traditional "Pomp and Circumstance" but will recess to the melody of "The Red and the Black."

The senior inner choir, directed by Gordon Beaver, will sing "Hands of Time" and "Time Is My Friend," and will be accompanied by Andrea Harber and Sandy Hei.

"An Answer for Our Time" was selected by the four senior student speakers as their topic. They will be introduced by Frank Marshall, senior class president.

Seniors Roy Sanderson, Joey Williams and Carl Leonard will respectively introduce principal Roger Sherman, Superintendent Sam Harbin, and Bob McCord, president of the board of education.

Libby Walker is scheduled to deliver the invocation and Marge Shields the benediction.

Valedictorian and salutatorian honors will be announced by Sherman.

Kissinger, Gromyko to meet

VIENNA (AP) — Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger at his meeting today with Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei A. Gromyko is willing to consider a compromise of one of the key U.S. positions in the Strategic Arms Limitation Talks, a senior American official told newsmen accompanying Kissinger.

The official said Kissinger is willing to modify his position on verification procedures in hopes of getting a nuclear arms limitation treaty in time for the next Soviet-American summit meeting, now scheduled for next fall.

The official said that there have been indications that Moscow has some new ideas on how to verify that the two countries adhere to their agreed limit of 1,320 offensive missiles that can carry multiple warheads.

Kissinger previously took the position that "any missile that has been tested" to carry the multiple warheads — known as MIRV's — "will be counted by us as being MIRV-ed."

But the senior official said Sunday that Kissinger's past statements did not represent a fixed formula, and the United States is always willing to consider alternatives.

Weather Review

	High	Low	Rain
May 12	69	51	.00
May 13	74	53	.00
May 14	79	57	.00
May 15	75	43	.00
May 16	75	53	.00
May 17	80	58	.00
May 18	88	57	.00

Rainfall for the week.....00
Rainfall for the month.....1.44
Rainfall for the year.....23.92

	'72	'73	'74	'75
Feb.	5.48	1.67	1.99	4.69
Mar.	2.70	8.64	3.89	1.11
Apr.	6.42	7.98	5.54	3.68
May	2.42	6.40	4.74	
June	1.92	3.14	2.53	
July	7.27	2.81	1.06	
Aug.	3.41	3.08	4.40	
Sept.	5.40	3.01	2.04	
Oct.	7.39	3.36	1.13	
Nov.	5.94	8.19	4.21	
Dec.	5.38	5.90	3.97	
	59.20	59.40	40.63	

Thieves take truck valued at $14,000

A truck valued at $14,000, which was stolen last week from Sikeston Motor Co., 1030 S. Main St., was among five thefts reported today by the police department.

The truck, a 1975, 14,000-pound chassis truck without a truck bed, was taken from the car lot between Thursday and Saturday.

Mildred Wilson, 204 Jaycee, told police that two men took her billfold from a purse sitting in her car while the car was parked at 226 N. West. St.

The two ran, taking a $10 bill from the billfold and then dropping the wallet.

Phil Chartrau, 615 Moore St., told police that someone took fishing gear from his patio between Thursday and Saturday. Taken were two reels valued at $30, two rods worth $40, and a child's toy worth $10.

Nine cases of five per cent beer were taken from Ralph Distributing Co., 1601 W. Malone Ave., between 8 p.m. Thursday and 7:15 a.m. Friday.

The beer was valued at $60 and damage to the office window where entry was gained was estimated at $60.

Leonard Davis, 220 S. Ingram St., told police that someone took a 12-inch black and white television, two watches and miscellaneous food stuffs all valued at $60 from his home. The theft occurred May 10, but was not reported until Friday.

Weapons, energy bill face Congress

WASHINGTON (AP) — Major bills on weapons spending and the energy crisis are before Congress this week and the Senate plans to begin a "great debate" on U.S. defense and foreign policy.

The Senate today was considering President Ford's request that Congress lift its cutoff of U.S. military aid to Turkey.

Congress cut off the aid effective last Feb. 5 because of Turkey's occupation of Cyprus, but Ford contends resumption of the aid is needed to bring hope of renewed Cyprus peace negotiations.

U.S. sends regrets

By The Associated Press

Thailand today accepted a note from the U.S. government expressing regret for the unauthorized use of Thai bases to attack Cambodia and recover the freighter Mayaguez.

The U.S. government revised the American toll in the Mayaguez operation sharply upward, announcing that five men were killed, 16 were missing and 70 to 80 were wounded. But the captain of the Mayaguez, Charles T. Miller, said in Singapore that seven dead Marines were already "on ice" when he was brought aboard the destroyer Wilson.

A senior American official reported that the Ford administration seriously considered using B52 bombers against Cambodia. The official said no one in the administration wanted to use the big bombers, but such action was a real possibility,

The Mayaguez left Singapore today for Hong Kong. The ship's owner denied a charge by Prince Norodom Sihanouk, the Cambodian chief of state, that her cargo included a large number of plastic bombs and radio-electronic equipment. A spokesman said most of the cargo consigned to U.S. military bases in Thailand was post exchange goods.

Capt. Miller and members of his crew said the U.S. Marines who were landed on an island off the Cambodian coast to rescue them were put ashore on the wrong island. Miller said he and the crew were on Rong San Lem while the Marines landed on Koh Tang, about 25 miles away. A Pentagon spokesman confirmed the wrong-island landing.

In Laos, a dozen Americans and seven other foreigners detained by students in the town of Savannakhet radioed the U.S. Embassy in Vientiane that they were safe and well. Laotian government officials were negotiating with the students who took over the town on Wednesday and ordered the foreigners to remain in their homes.

An international relief official in Saigon reported that about two dozen Americans, 150 South Koreans and 200 Filipinos who wanted to be evacuated by U.S. forces on April 29-30 were left behind. Most of them arrived at the American Embassy too late because sufficient notice was not given of the evacuation plans, the official said.

Saigon radio said there was some starvation in the South Vietnamese capital because of the influx of refugees before the Communists occupied the city. But it said the new government distributed 1,100 tons of rice to more than 220,000 persons.

The new government also announced the liberation of all political prisoners from Con Son prison island.

Thailand's acceptance of the U.S. letter of regret defused a crisis between the United States and its last ally on the Southeast Asian mainland.

The Thais had demanded an apology by Tuesday and recalled their ambassador from Washington because U.S. Marines and planes were sent without Thai permission from bases in Thailand to rescue the Mayaguez and her crew.

1 caught in armed robbery

A 16-year-old boy has been arrested and an older man is still being sought for the armed robbery Saturday morning of Kellett's Restaurant, 901 S. Main St.

Police said the robbery occurred about 6 a.m. when a customer asked for change and pulled a gun after the cashier opened the cash register.

The man, a negro male about 22, asked for change for a nickle. When Pat Evans, 23, of 314 Selma St., opened the register, the man pulled out a gun and demanded the money.

He took about $200 in bills. The man had been sitting in the restaurant for about an hour before the robbery.

A driver for Jolley Cab, Frank Bias, 103 E. Malone Ave., was outside the restaurant and saw the robbers' car pull away and followed it to Branum Street, where police officers caught and chased the car.

The man and the boy jumped out of the car in Sunset and fled on foot. The juvenile was caught by police a short time later.

Man held in shooting

NEW MADRID — Robert Taylor of New Madrid was charged this morning in Magistrate Court with felonious assault with intent to do bodily harm in connection with a shooting incident about 11:40 p.m. Saturday at the Brotherhood Club.

Taylor, who is in custody of the sheriff's department, allegedly shot Donald Graham of New Madrid once in the left shoulder with a 32-caliber pistol.

Graham was not seriously injured and was treated and released at Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston.

Burglars hit Arvin plant

DEXTER--City police are investigating a break-in which occured at approximately 8:23 p.m. Sunday at Arvin Industries plant.

Police said the thieves apparently tried to burglarize the soft drink machines but were unsuccessful.

Entry was gained through an unlocked door.



2 hurt in accident

Denise Stallman, 22, and her husband, Dennis Stallman, 23, of Matthews received serious injuries in a one-car accident at 12:44 a.m. Sunday at the Interstate 55 interchange with Highway 62 in Miner. According to the highway patrol, the southbound Stallman car skidded 241 feet across the median on I-55 and sailed 88 feet through the air down an embankment before coming to a stop in an upright position on the shoulder of Highway 62. Mrs. Stallman apparently fell asleep at the wheel. The Stallmans were taken to Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston, then transferred to Baptist Memorial Hospital in Memphis, Tenn.

(Daily Standard photo)

Accidents kill 1, injure 22

One person was killed and 22 were injured in 13 traffic accidents on area roads over the weekend, the highway patrol announced today. The fatality was the 29th on Southeast Missouri roads this year, compared to 31 at the same time last year.

Gloria Jean Swift, 19, of Charleston was killed at 4:30 p.m. Sunday in a two-car accident at the intersection of Highway 60 and an unmarked Mississippi County road two miles west of the Mississippi River bridge. She was a passenger in a car driven by John Swift Jr., 48, of Charleston.

The patrol reported the accident occurred when Swift failed to stop at a stop sign on the county road and drove his northbound vehicle into the path of an eastbound car driven by Claude Bagby, 21, of Miller City, Ill.

Bagby received minor injuries and Swift suffered serious injuries. Also receiving minor injuries were Katherine Swift, 42, and Idella Swift, 21, of Cairo, Ill., and Larane Johnson, 13, of Charleston, also passengers in the Swift car. All of the injury victims were taken to PADCO Community Hospital in Cairo.

Miss Swift's body was taken to Sparks Funeral Home in Charleston, where arrangements are incomplete.

Edward John Zoellner, 39, of Friedheim and Roy Franklin Mouser, 60, of Perryville received minor injuries in a two-vehicle accident at 1:15 p.m. Saturday at the intersection of Routes FF and BB two miles south of Biehle in Cape Girardeau County.

The accident occurred when a car driven by Mouser pulled from Route FF into the path of a car driven by Zoellner.

Mouser was taken to the Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape Girardeau, and Zoellner was taken to Perry County Hospital at Perryville.

Joyce Ann Kinder, 21, of Painton received minor injuries in a one-car accident at 4:55 a.m. Saturday on Route EE half a mile west of Chaffee.

The accident occurred when she attempted to pass another car and her vehicle ran off the left side of the road and struck a bridge.

She was treated at Southeast Missouri Hospital.

Kenneth L. Heininger, 17, of Warson Woods and Susan Beattle, 19, of St. Louis, received minor injuries andVirginia Ann Frazier, 17, of CreveCoeur received serious injuries in a one-car accident at 5:54 p.m. Saturday two miles north of Annapolis on Highway 49.

The accident occurred when Heininger apparently fell asleep at the wheel of his car, which ran off the road and struck an embankment and fence.

The injury victims were taken to St. Mary's Hospital in Ironton.

A Matthews couple received serious injuries in a one-car accident at 12:44 a.m. Sunday at the Highway 62 interchange with Interstate 55 in Miner.

The accident occurred on I-55 when Denise Stallman, 22, apparently fell asleep at the wheel and the southbound car skidded 241 feet into the median, down an embankment, then flew 88 feet through the air before landing upright on the shoulder of Highway 62.

She and a passenger, Dennis Stallman, 23, were taken to the Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston, then transferred to Baptist Memorial Hospital in Memphis, Tenn.

Bernard Crader, 18, of Glenallen received serious injuries and Kelly L. Fowler, 20, of Marble Hill received moderate injuries when a car driven by Crader ran off the road at a high rate of speed and struck a tree. The accident occurred at 3:30 a.m. Saturday on Highway 34 in the Gravel Hill community.

Both were taken to the St. Francis Hospital in Cape Girardeau.

Tim L. LaComb, 21, Kenneth Keith, 15, and Thomas Olice, 16, of Farmington received minor injuries in a one-car accident at 3:35 a.m. Saturday on Route D four miles southeast of Arcadia in Iron County.

The accident occurred when a car driven by LaComb ran off the road and struck a tree.

The injury victims were taken to St. Mary's Hospital in Ironton.

Henry Ballew Jr., 47, of Fredericktown received serious injuries and, Shelia Lynn Boatright, 8, and Sharon A. Ballew, 13, of Fredericktown received minor injuries in a single- vehicle accident at 12:40 p.m. Saturday on old Highway 67 two miles southwest of Fredericktown.

The accident occurred when Ballew lost control of the van he was driving and the vehicle struck a bridge. All were taken to Madison County Memorial Hospital in Fredericktown.

Bertis F. Wiley, 53, of Poynor received moderate injuries in a one-car accident at 1 a.m. Sunday three miles east of Poynor on Route FF in Ripley County.

The accident occurred when Wiley approached a T-intersection at a high rate of speed and ran through a stop sign and a fence and struck a tree.

Wiley was treated at the

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It's inside. . . .

A medic alert identification can save travelers lives and eliminate embarassing situations, a national organization advises, turn to .... page 10

Cindy Collom of Sikeston won a car for collecting the largest amount of pledges for the March of Dimes Walkathon, turn to .... page 4.

To learn more about fishing, turn to .... page 6

. . . . and outside

Fair to partly cloudy and unseasonably warm for tonight and Tuesday. Chance for thundershowers late Tuesday. Winds light and southerly tonight before becoming southwesterly at 8 to 15 m.p.h. on Tuesday. Lows today in the 70s and highs Tuesday in the 90s. Precipitation probalities less than 10 per cent tonight and 40 per cent Tuesday afternoon and evening.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Chance for showers Wednesday through Friday with daytime highs in the 80s Wednesday, cooling to the 70s by Friday. Nighttime highs in the 60s Wednesday and cooling to the 50s by Friday.

High and Lows

The high and low temperatures for 24-hour period ending Saturday were 75 degrees and 53 degrees.The extremes for period ending Sunday were 80 degrees and 58 degrees. The high and low temperatures for the period ending today were 88 degrees and 57 degrees.

Sunset today	8:02 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	5:47 a.m.
Moonset tomorrow	2:32 a.m.

State to tap employers for jobless funds

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Legal provisions requiring an automatic increase in the contributions employers make to support Missouri's unemployment compensation program will probably be triggered next year, possibly heading off any permanent hike in those payments.

"We strongly anticipate that that provision will go into effect in January," said Joseph Dietrich of the Division of Employment Security. It would be the first time the provision has ever been employed.

Division officials and Geoffrey McCarron, head of the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations, have expressed concern about the adequacy of the unemployment compensation trust fund in light of increased benefits signed into law last month and rising unemployment.

McCarron has begun working with a number of persons in an effort to determine what steps can be taken to insure that the state's trust fund does not go broke as have the trust funds in seven other states.

Although that law carried with it provisions for increased employer contributions, those hikes will cover less than 10 per cent of the estimated cost of the new benefits.

Figures compiled by the U.S. Department of Labor in cooperation with the Interstate Conference of Employment Security Agencies placed Missouri among only 19 states that have healthy funds. That calculation, however, was made in December before the state was hit by an unusually high jobless rate and the increase in benefits.

Those figures also showed that even in December, the soundness of Missouri's fund was only better than three of those 19 states.

The fund totaled about $240 million at the end of December, Dietrich said, but declined to $187 million at the end of April. Although there have been employer contributions during that period, benefits paid out in the four months totaled nearly $70 million.

Benefit payments for the last 12 month period available, which ran through last June, totaled only $81.5 million while contributions to the fund ran $3.3 million less.

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Monday, May 19 — 1821, Inventor of sieve finds it won't hold water.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

Some people are in hot water all the time because they are poor explainers.

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NO SLOWDOWN IN ARMS AT SEA

The Soviet Union has just completed the most massive naval exercises in its history. This was a world wide effort involving more than 220 ships of all types, coordinated from naval headquarters in Moscow. According to some reports, the exercises involved simulated nuclear attacks upon the Soviets practiced anti-submarine warfare tactics and war games against U.S. carrier task forces.

Regardless of which version is correct, the point driven home by this exercise should be that the U.S. naval mission of maintaining control of the sea in order to protect our vital overseas supply lines has now been seriously challenged.

Not only is Soviet naval might growing in numbers, but her system of overseas bases may soon be greatly improved. One of the world's most magnificant natural harbors lies at Camranh Bay in South Vietnam. The Japanese Navy operated from there in World War II. It is now in the hands of the Communists, with all of its U.S. built installations intact. It would be surprising if the Soviets are not now given base rights at Camranh Bay for their Pacific Fleet. What better way could the Vietnamese Communists show their gratitude for the Soviet military support which enabled them to win the war? A base at Camranh would greatly improve the Soviet Navy's access to the Pacific and Indian Oceans.

Whatever one may think of the SALT agreements, there is no slowdown in the arms race at sea. The U.S. Navy needs all the help the taxpayers and the Congress can give it.

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A Sikeston woman had a surgical operation performed, and her husband objected to having it mentioned. "That's always the way," the wife said. "You always did object to my attracting attention." Which recalls an old story: A man was to be hanged and objected to having his wife and children present. "That's just like him," his wife said, "he never wanted us to enjoy ourselves."

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It makes no difference how innocent a man may be; if he is suspected, most of his actions are construed as signs of guilt.

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FIE ON FOOD FADS

Alarmed at the spread of food faddism among Americans, the American Dietetic Association recently issued a strong worded "position paper" warning the public that certain diets and food fads can be dangerous to health at worst and a waste of money at best.

"Members of the ADA," says the paper, "are concerned with the increasing amount of misinformation on food and nutrition in the United States with its resultant economic and nutritional exploitation of the American people. The dietetic profession is committed to informing consumers about ill-advised diets and the misleading tactics of self-proclaimed nutrition experts."

Included in the list of potential health hazards are low carbohydrate, unlimited - protein diets (such as the meat and water diet), the Zen Macrobiotic diet and self-prescription of massive vitamin doses.

The ADA also took a shot at the organic food movement, flatly labeling as false such claims as that organic fertilizers produce foods of superior nutritional value, that foods are poisoned with chemical additives and pesticides, that specific foods have miraculous curative powers and that daily vitamin, mineral and dietary supplements are necessary because current food supplies are nutritionally deficient.

Nearly all edible foods, says the ADA, may be classified as natural and health foods because they contribute nutrients to the diet and promote health when properly combined.

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When a girl helps a young man on with his coat, and his hand catches in the torn lining, he would never imagine from the sympathetic look on her face that her brothers have overcoats with torn linings, too.

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The most affectionate family we ever knew was composed of nine different members. And they lived in nine different towns.

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Latest brainchild of the Environmental Protection Agency: forcing farmers to pass a formal written test before they can use certain pesticides. Rep. Teno Roncalio (D.-Wyo.) says the new regulations are totally unnecessary. "For years farmers have been using these pesticides. Their record is good, no serious accidents, no deaths, no serious illnesses. The proposed regulations would only place an unwarranted burden on today's farmers." Roncalio has introduced legislation that would prevent EPA from carrying out the Big Brother tests.

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Back in 1968 McGeorge Bundy, former Kennedy aide who became Ford Foundation president at a fat salary, told the charitable institutions of the country their investment policies ought to be more aggressive -- meaning they should buy go-go growth stocks instead of AAA bonds. Many of the institutions that took Bundy's advice now wish they hadn't, including, perhaps, the Ford Foundation, which has recently announced it will lay off half its staff during the next three years, its endowment having shrunk from $3 to $2 billion.

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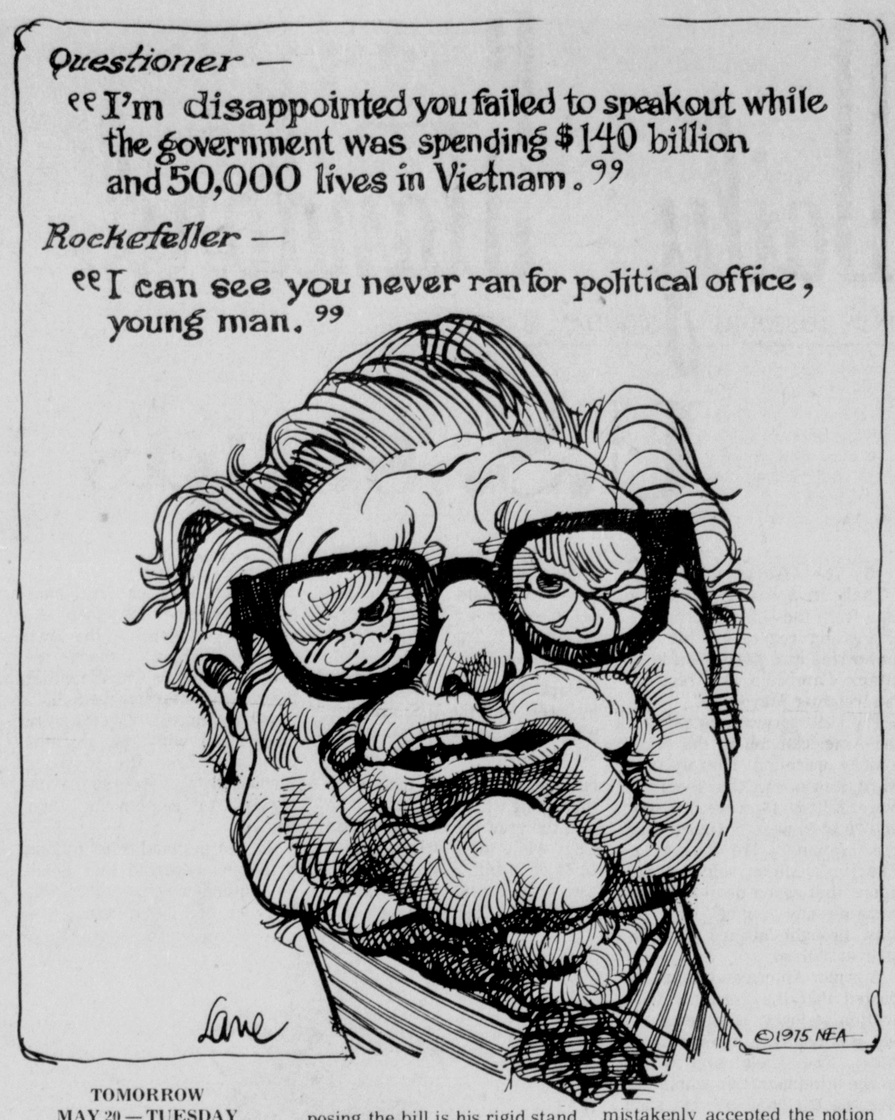
The next time a gossip starts to tell something about somebody in your presence, show your disapproval. Gossips will stop talk if their stories are not enjoyed. If people gossip in your presence, it is largely your own fault.

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In these unusual times there are pocket calculators, pocket cameras, pocket recorders - everything for the pocket but money.

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You are over the hill if a pretty girl enters the room and your hair stands up before you do.



TOMORROW

MAY 20 — TUESDAY

ELIZA DOOLITTLE DAY. May 20. Purpose: To honor Miss Doolittle (Heroine of Bernard Shaw's Pygmalion) for demonstrating the importance of speaking one's native language properly. Sponsor: Doolittle Day Development Comm., 1113 Kensington Ave., Flint, Mich. 48503.

FERRARY DAY. May 20. Purpose: To remember the day of the death of the internationally known stamp collector Philipp la Renotiere von Ferrary. Sponsor: The Ferrary Society, Clinton Corners, N.Y. 12514.

LAFAYETTE DAY. May 20. Massacchusetts.

MECKLENBURG DAY. May 20 Massachusetts.

MECKLENBURG DAY. May 20. North Carolina. Commemorates claimed signing of a declaration of independence from England by citizens of Mecklenburg County on this day, 1775.

ST. WILLIBRORD DANCING PROCESSION. May 20. Echternach, Luxembourg. Dancing procession in honor of St. Willibrord. Unique medieval religious custom. Participants do not pray but dance: 3 steps forward and 2 steps backward to a haunting tune played over and over by bands. The procession moves through the narrow cobblestone streets of Echternach before entering the Basilica.

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FARM BILL VETO

President Ford vetoed the farm price support bill, as he was expected to, following the advice of Agriculture Secretary Earl Butz. The bill does not provide for radical changes in agricultural price and income-support policy. It essentially is an upward revision in the levels of farm commodity loans and target prices of the 1973 farm act.

Commodity loans would be raised closer to recent market levels in order to encourage the accumulation of larger grain reserves. The bins and elevators are dangerously low now. Secretary Butz said a few weeks ago that the President would veto the farm bill but that he, Butz, would raise commodity loan levels, as he can do on his own authority under the law.

But in vetoing the bill, the President did not ratify the Butz pledge on higher loan values. Instead, Butz said he would keep his eye on the markets and raise the loan rates later if necessary.

The bill also sets higher target prices, to $2.25 a bushel for corn as compared with the present target of $1.38. Butz has opposed this increase, because he thinks it would cost the government a lot of money. His current estimate places the cost at $1.8 billion and up to as much as $5 billion if the legislation were extended to 1976. These figures are disputable. What the government might have to pay out depends on how big the 1975 crops are, the trend of exports and other factors. If reserves are adequate after this year's harvest, the secretary could provide incentives under the law for farmers to reduce acreage next year. It would not be necessary to pay out subsidies on unlimited production.

Prices would have to sag considerably below present levels for the payment cost to rise as high as Butz puts it. Supposing it did, however, that would seem to be a useful, if small, item in the fiscal pump-priming program of the administration-in comparison with the $22 billion tax cut which Ford approved and the budget deficit which may reach $70 billion.

Butz's main reason for opposing the bill is his rigid stand on principle against government price and supply management programs. He urges farmers to go "all out" in production, because food reserves are low, but he doesn't want to offer farmers an "artificial" incentive to do so. He seems unconcerned that a big crop would bring a collapse of prices, and at present support levels, farmers would have no protection.

The Senate is likely to vote to override the veto. But the House vote will be close and may not nullify the veto. If the veto is sustained, Congress ought to try again to give farmers a reasonable shield against falling prices.

Perhaps more important from the viewpoint of the public is the need for a government grain-stabilizing reserve plan. This is in the interest of consumers to avoid wide swings in prices of food and to provide assurance against shortage. It is also important to the nation as a backstop for U.S. foreign policy for reliability in the commercial export of grain and soybeans and for ability to provide food aid in the world.

The Ford veto of this sane and moderate farm support bill is another bad mistake in economic policy by this administration.

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INVESTING IN TOMORROW

Many consumers have mistakenly accepted the notion that promotion is a needless cost of doing business which the customer must pay. But these skeptics who downgrade an essential phase of the American business system seldom pause to consider just what can be defined as promotion, nor do they appear to comprehend its basic role in the maintenance of a high flow of goods and services to the public at minimum prices.

For example, it costs money for a service station attendant to take time to clean a customer's windshield. This goodwill gesture is more than courtesy. It is promotion to gain customer favor. Essentially, it is no different than giving trading stamps in appreciation for customer patronage. In an era of shortages, there is a temptation to applaud elimination of what are considered to be the frills of doing business. But why applaud an attrition process that in the long run hurts only the consumer? Most assuredly, where there are shortages businesses can eliminate the so-called frills of promotion and advertising. Service stations can also eliminate the courtesy of cleaning their customers' windshields or checking their oil. All of these things are among the pluses of our competitive system. Do consumers genuinely wish to see them disappear? Hardly. As time goes on, consumers will grow heartily sick of corner-cutting practices backed up by the excuse of shortages, and basic practices of the marketplace will be continued.

Promotion, advertising and courtesy to customers are fundamental to the success of any enterprise. In the capitalistic system, these pluses of business constitute a maxim that the wise merchant never forgets. And the wise merchant in a period of shortages will have the foresight to keep his public relations in good repair. Consumerists and the public alike should commend him fordoing so. The investment he makes in promotion today is the best possible contribution to a storng production and distribution system tomorrow.

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Only an echo can have the last word with some people.

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Man is mentioned in the Bible 4,332 times while woman is mentioned only 536 times. This seems to bear out the fact that men wrote it.

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SENATE'S FEAST FOR ROAD HOGS

The big trucks have rumbled through the Missouri Senate like Grant took Richmond. Only seven senators stood up agains t the onslaught by the trucking lobby; 24 others caved in and voted to allow longer and heavier trucks on state roads despite warnings that the measure is selfish trucking-interest legislation and a safety hazard.

Unless the House prevails and ditches this proposal, or unless Gov. Christopher S. Bond has the good sense to veto the ill-advised legislation, the road-hogging trucks could be lumbering over Missouri highways almost any day now. The bill contains an emergency clause that would make it effective upon finai approval by the Legislature and the governor.

And forwhat purpose? To serve the trucking industry at the expense of the vast majority of other highway users.

Officials of the Missouri Highway Department say that the 10 per cent increase in truck license fees for heavier trucks provided in the bill will not pay for increased road damage that the bigger trucks are expected to cause. The department estimates maintenance costs would be up $27 million a year.

There is also the very grave matter of highway safety. Heavier and longer trucks will mean more accidents, the Automobile Club of Missouri charges in its opposition to the bill to increase the maximum truck length allowed from 55 to 60 feet, and the maximum weight from 72,000 to 80,000 pounds.

Proponents of the measure contend that since Congress recently voted to allow bigger trucks on interstate highways, Missouri should do the same. Just because there was a congressional sellout to truck lobbyists, is that any reason for state legislators to act irresponsible of the public interest? Besides, an effort is being made in Congress to repeal the federal bill.

The public's view was well-expressed by Sen. Frank Bild, Concord Village Republican, when he said he would "much prefer to be on the cautious side protecting regular auto motorists" than providing a questionable advantage to truckers. And by Democratic Sen. William B. Waters of Liberty who said that although highways are forthe benefit of the traveling public and truckers, "the scales have been tilted rather radically by this legislation" in favor of truckers.

In the balance, the bill weighs heavily against the public.

-Globe-Democrat

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According to a report of social security account numbers, the most common names for women are, in the order of popularity: Mary, Dorothy, Helen, Margaret, Ruth, Betty, Elizabeth, Anna, Mildred, and Frances.

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Our higher standards of living are not restricted to the people in this country. Dog food manufacturers say that the canines have it better today than they have ever had it. As a consequence the dog population is growing much faster than the human population, and many families are having two dogs in the house as well as two cars in the driveway.

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TRAGIC WASTE

With the Merchant Marine Act of 1970, the U.S. undertook the greatest merchant ship building effort in history, calling for the construction of 300 revolutionary, high-technology ships over a 10-year period. To the U.S., dependent for many essentias on trade with other nations, the strengthening of our merchant fleet was a logical and necessary action.

The problem is that in the midst of this program to upgrade the U.S. Merchant Marine policies ensuring the availability of cargoes to fill these ships never materialized. As a result, ourmaritime industry cannot compete on an equal basis with foreign liners which come into our ports, undercutting their American competitors in some cases by 50 percent or more and pushing them out of the market. That the American government should give first priority to foreign ships when the U.S. merchant fleet is standing by with superior technology and expertise at its command is outrageous. The advantages of "shipping American" are many. Two important ones are noted by a key spokesman for the American Institute of Merchant Shipping when he says such a policy would "...protect our trade and alleviate our national balance of payments deficits."

A first step in building use of U.S. vessels would be to update the Shipping Act of 1916 which prohibits U.S. ships from competing on an equal footing with foreign vessels. We cannot expect to hold our own in the world marketplace unless new legislation is drawn up requiring an annul review of our foreign trading partners' competitive practices, pointing out those which are unfair, and outlining corrective steps to protect U.S. interests.

In the final analysis, it is obviously ridiculous to build a new, high-technology merchant fleet, such as ours, and then discourage maximum use of that valuable national asset. Unless this country likes the thought of cutting its own throat, those who use ocean shipping to move cargoes overseas, including the federal government,should seriously reconsider their policies and begin patronizing ships of the U.S. Merchant Marine whenever possible.

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The average American is a man who works hard all winter to fill his home with comforts and conveniences, and then spends his summer in a trailer, fishing boat, or mountain shack with few comforts and conveniences.

Inside Labor
By Victor Riesel

Downing Scalpels: Doctors Strike Crossing U.S. as N. Y., Physicians Prepare for Mass June 1 Walkout

NEW YORK — This malpractice insurance crisis isn't really the doctors' dilemma. They'll make out -- even if they go out on strike across most of the nation in protest against annual insurance premiums rocketing from $22,000 to $45,000 each. And in this teeming polyglot megalopolis, with impoverished ghettos, each as big as many cities -- the physicians and surgeons plan to down their stethoscopes and scalpels beginning June 1. And the anesthetists will do their sleep thing only in virtually lethal emergencies.

And, after July 1, if there is no revised reasonable malpractice insurance law to constrain the ambulance-chasing lawyers and avaricious insurance firms, there will be practically no medical care or functioning hospitals for some eight million people.

Thus this is a peoples' crisis. The turmoil -- whipped up by dispatches from the California doctors strike front -- has covered the real issues and significance of the malpractice maelstrom.

First, it seems to me there should be educational tests for juries and perhaps some jurists. There was one jury here which was set to award a young woman almost a million dollars against a doctor who had handled her at childbirth some 20 years ago. She's legally blind now. But the physician treated her as he believed he should have by the medical standards of the mid-'50s. Should he then be wiped out financially by this kind of emotional anti-establishment sentiment? She'd have gotten the million dollars if she hadn't settled out of court for some $180,000.

Furthere, the cost of gargantuan malpractice insurance premiums will be passed on to Blue Cross, Medicaid and medicare. So eventually it will be lumped onto the taxpayer's back by the hundreds of millions of dollars annually.

Futher, slowdowns and stoppages as threatened here on June and July 1 will affect the schooling of new doctors. Even a delay in the graduation of a single young medic hurts this nation.

It's not generally realized there are but 300,000 active doctors throughout the land -- and only some 200,000 actually practice. Thus if there is any delay in the "graduation" of the 350 medical students at the huge Mount Sinai Medical School, for example, somewhere someday some family may suffer and someone may die.

Thus a malpractice strike here affects the nation. The doctors have warned they will stop sending their patients to New York hospitals beginning June 1. And they will phase out the patients already hospitalized. The anesthetists are with the physicians. There will be nothing but emergency surgery -- like someone picked up from under a truck.

Since these doctors are the "attending" ones, their absence will affect the interns and residents. Each of the latter must be supervised by an attending physician. So gradually even the interns and residents will not be able to help the sick.

Of course Mount Sinai's full-time teaching doctors could keep the hospital itself going -- at a limp -- but still functioning. But they too, have warned they'll strike in solidarity with the attending physicians. So classes will close. As must the hospital eventually if there is no malpractice insurance reform.

Further, some hospitals may shut their doors permanently. Eight-five per cent occupancy is needed to stay solvent week by week. A month-long physicians strike, beginning July 1 when the current malpractice insurance policies expire and the doctors refuse to pay increases of up to 600 per cent, will bankrupt many hospitals.

But what of the 125,000 employees here -- the nurses and technicians and maintenance staffs? Well, the Lague of Volunary Hospitals has already dispatched letters to Leon Davis, leader of the militant (Martin Luther King, Jr., union) District 1199 and to the registered nurses association warning of swift layoffs after June 1. Union officials tell me "there'll be hell to pay if our people are furloughed or their work week cut."

Of course there's a chance the state legislature will do what the Michigan Solons did -- pass a control act capping insurance premiums and invoking other devices to save the medical services. But the New York legislature is loaded with lawyers who have a class and wallet solidarity almost unique. Further, the key legislators aren't really talking to each other.

So most likely there'll be a slowdown in and shutdown of huge New York hospitals. This could have national political reperdussions. For, it will put Democratic presidential hopeful Gov. Hugh Carey on the spot, as the February 1968 New York city garbage strike dumped Nelson Rockefeller out of the running in the '60s.

Further, what is not being fully weighed is the fact that the men in white, the medical profession, are acting like men in denim. They're striking whole cities. Labor history and the nation have turned another corner. That was the last bastion of unfettered professionalism. Now watch this medical militancy sweep the nation.

Washington Merry-Go-Round
By Jack Anderson

By JACK ANDERSON with Les Whitten

WASHINGTON--One of President Ford's pet projects has turned into a thorn patch full of prickly problems.

Before he became President last year, he pushed through a $2.2 million program to fight drug and alcohol abuse. He personally prodded federal officials to fund the money to a private citizens council supposedly to educate state legislators on the evils of drugs and booze.

The council, it turned out, was headed by one of Ford's longtime acquaintances, Jerris Leonard. To the astonishment of officials, Leonard appeared at Ford's side, beaming benignly, while the then-Vice President made his $2.2 million pitch.

The confidential minutes of the meeting tell the story. "The Vice President (made) it clear," declare the minutes, "that he had an interest in the specific grant proposal which came about at his own insistence."

The $2.2 million grant, Ford contended, would improve "communications between federal officials and state legislatures." The expectant contractor listened approvingly.

There was nothing wrong with the communications, meanwhile, between Ford and the officials. They fully understood that the Vice President wanted the $2.2 million grant to go to his friend Leonard. One top official, although he held his tongue at the meeting, intended to tell Ford to his face that the proposal was "lousy."

The $2.2 million was supposed to be squeezed out of various government agencies, with the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration (LEAA) coughing up the first $100,000.

This raised another conflict, since the anticipated recipient formerly headed the LEAA. If Leonard accepted the $100,000, the erstwhile LEAA chief would be confronted with an ethical if not legal problem.

His successor at the LEAA, Don Santarelli, was disturbed over the conflict. After the session ended, according to a confidential memo, Santarelli told another official that he planned to tell Ford the proposal was "lousy."

But "Mr. Santarelli said he did not plan to mention to the Vice President his other concern...a possible conflict of interest in LEAA support for this proposal," the memo adds.

"His reference is to what he refers to as correspondence from Jerris Leonard on such a proposal less than one year after Jerris left the LEAA position."

In the end, Santarelli refused to allow LEAA funds to be used for the Leonard project. But the National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, whose director Morris Chafetz has been under FBI investigation for expense account chiseling, was less scrupulous.

Chafetz not only provided funds but assigned a bright official, Robert Beauregard, to push the project. In compliance with the law, Beauregard organized a review panel to study it. He promptly helped appoint one of Leonard's political pals, Robert Knowles, to help review Leonard's contract.

Both Leonard and Knowles are powers in Wisconsin politics. Leonard once ran for the U.S. Senate in Wisconsin, and Knowles was president pro tem of the Wisconsin Senate.

Not surprisingly, the project was cheerfully approved by the review panel, which also selected Wisconsin as one of the first states to participate. But a special advisory council still had to give final approval.

None other than the ubiquitous Robert Knowles emerged as the advisory chairman, with Robert Beauregard as the sole consultant. It turned out that Beauregard had quit his government job and had signed on as a $250-a-day consultant for the project he had helped to establish.

When we asked the irrepressible Leonard about this garden of conflicts, he cooed happily: "I am so clean." He had been off the LEAA payroll the required year, he swore, before seeking the LEAA grant.

Knowles told us he was paid nothing for his service. Initially, he hadn't wanted to choose Wisconsin as one of the first states to benefit from the grant, he said.

Beauregard said he saw no conflict in accepting a consultant's fee from the same project he had supervised while he was on the government payroll.

As for President Ford, he started the wheels rolling for his old friend Leonard and then, apparently, lost touch with the while thing.

WASHINGTON WHIRL: President Ford, who is about to step into Henry Kissinger's shoes and resume personal diplomacy in the Middle East, has been told forcibly by advisers that no Arab-Israeli agreement is possible without Soviet support. He is optimistic, however, that he can sell the Kremlin on a joint Soviet-American settlement....Secretary of State Kissinger was so preoccupied with the Middle East a year ago that he didn't get around to reviewing the ramifications of India's nuclear explosion for six months. In the meantime, intelligence reports warned that several nations had gone ahead with the development of nuclear weapons. Now belatedly, Kissinger is urgently trying to tighten the nuclear non-proliferation treaty....

The FBI still hasn't been able to locate the elusive Patty Hearst. For more than a month, according to our FBI sources, the G-men haven't picked up a warm clue. Patty has been able to elude them, they believe, because only a tiny, tight circle knows her exact whereabouts.

Daily record

HOSPITAL NOTES
MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY
CENSUS REPORT

May 19, 1975

Area	Total Beds	Patients	Reserved Emer. Beds	Gen. Adm. Beds
Med.-Surg.	141	102	6	33
Pediatrics	23	6	0	17
Obstetrics	14	10	0	4
Intensive Care	7	7	0	0

Patients scheduled for admission today—7

MISSOURI DELTA

Released:
Annie Hedges, Charleston
Alice Stout, Sikeston
Roxannie Bray, Sikeston
Myra Doss, Sikeston
Jim Burris, Sikeston
Nora Northern, Sikeston
Leo Glasner, Morehouse
Ardianne Vollerstein, Sikeston
Imogene Culbertson, Sikeston
Thresa Wrzensinski, Charleston
Raymond Myrick, Matthews
Floyd Hockersmith, East Prairie
Nina Wyrick, Sikeston
Agnes Kestler, Sikeston
Melinda Ables and baby girl, Sikeston
Buler Brewer, Lilbourn
Betty Weems, Charleston
Francesl Hoesli, Charleston
Virginia Pabost, Sikeston
Freda Truesdale, Vanduser
Gracin Fisher, Morehouse
Beulah Odum, Sikeston
Carol Stuart, East Prairie
Bertie Chaney, Vanduser
Blanch Breeden and baby girl, Sikeston
Carolyn Williams, Kewanee
Willie Eckles, Sikeston
William Brown, Wyatt
Brenda K. Lape, Sikeston
Martha Nelson and baby girl, East Prairie
Elsie Gilliland, Sikeston
Daniel Kinder, Morehouse
Linda L. Ellison, Sikeston
Gary Harmon, Sikeston
Cleo C. Robertson, Sikeston
Ruby Crowden, Sikeston
Sharon Mills, Vanduser
Esther Watkins, Sikeston
William Watkins, Sikeston
Kenneth Nickens, Sikeston
Billy McClain, Oran
Ruben Hopkins, Bloomfield
Marilyn Stobaugh, Sikeston
Elizabeth Lattimore, Sikeston
LaDonna J. Greer, New Madrid
David Austin, Charleston
Mrs. Margaret Baker and baby boy, Cape Girardeau
Shan Nabors, Sikeston
William H. Daivs, Sikeston
Beverly Wright, Sikeston

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL

Admitted:
Annette Griffin, Caruthersville
Claude Howard, Caruthersville
Bertha White, Caruthersville
Fern Lovelady, Steele
Stella Griffin, Steele
Lloyd Crowell, Hayti
Judy Watson, Hayti
Caldrice Willowby, Wardell
Sue Chambers, Portageville
Released:
Gloria Smith, Caruthersville
Charles Bryson, Caruthersville
Rube Malone, Caruthersville
Lisa Thompson, Steele
Harrison Lovelady, Steele
Robert Vinson, Steele
Clay Price, Hayti
Patricia Smith, Marston

DEXTER MEMORIAL

Admitted:
Carolyn Randall, Dexter
Effie McCanish, Dexter
Oliver Jackson, Canalou
Delcie Hector, Risco
Donna Rey, Puxico
Dannie Kilgore, Malden
Deloris Underwood, Dexter
Zelma Johnson, Dexter
Alene Black, Clarkton
Ray Lucas, Bernie
Carol Long, Dexter
Brenda Russell, Gideon
Released:
Frederick Barnes, Portageville
Mildred Smith, Dexter
Mary Cummins, Sikeston
Verna Crowder, Malden
Florcie Bridges, Bernie
Carolyn Brake, Broseley

CHAFFEE GENERAL

Admitted:
Harold Boese, Chaffee
Billy Boley, Bell City
Raymond Diebold, Chaffee
John Kaiser, Jackson
Jay Leadendy, Jackson
Thomas Mace, Parma
Gregg Porter, Benton
Ergsie Propst, Millersville
Michael Dooley, Chaffee
Mark Martin, Cape Girardeau
Marion Meyers, Lutesville
Marily n Summers, Marbel Hill
Released:
Rodney Abernathy, Marble Hill
Velma Cook, Lutesville
Glen Glueck, Chaffee
Ethel Orcett, Marble Hill

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI

Released:
Kevin Carter, Charleston
Mrs. Harold Hill, Illmo
Mrs. Mary L. Johnson, Scott City
Mrs. Florence Schatz, Bloomfield
Mrs. RAy Anderson, New Madrid
Herman Andrews, Scott City
Jack R. Markham, Advance
William Morris, Charleston
Douglas A. Steward, Puxico
Mrs. Garlan Summers, Malden
Everett Vinson, Poplar Bluff
Thomas M. Wilks, Charleston
Mrs. Bryan Viets. East Prairie

ST. FRANCIS

Released:
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Glenn E. Dodson, Illmo
Mrs. Mabel M. Johnson, Advance
Mrs. Ruth McClard, Bloomfield
Mrs. Betty Emerson, Morley
Mrs. Mary Ruth, Bloomfield
Mrs. Ida Uthoff, Charleston

GRAIN MARKET

Opening Board of Trade

CHICAGO (AP) — Grain and Soybean futures prices opened lower on the Chicago Board of ke unv

On the opening, wheat was 1¼ to 1¾ cents a bushel lower9a' 510½; corn was 1 to 2 lower, May 2.71; oats were unchanged to 2¾ lower, May 1.78 and soybeans were 1 to 7 lower, May 5.21.

MISSISSIPPI RIVER STAGES

	Flood	Now	Chg.
Chester	27	25.1	-.05
Cape Girardeau	32	30.0	-1.0
New Madrid	34	28.2	-1.1
Caruthersville	32	28.4	-1.1

FORECAST

At Chester the river will fall .06 Tuesday; fall .06 Wednesday; and fall .06 Thursday.

At Cape Girardeau the river will fall .05 Tuesday; fall .06 Wednesday; and fall .06 Thursday.

At New Madrid the river will fall .06 Tuesday; fall .03 Wednesday; and remain the same on Thursday.

At Caruthersville the river will fall 1.1 Tuesday; fall .06 Wednesday; and fall .04 Thursday.

OHIO RIVER STAGES

	Flood	Now	Chg.
Golconda	40	21.6	+.03
Paducah	39	25.4	-.03
Grand Chain	42	36.0	-.06
Cairo	40	37.0	-.06

FORECAST

At Golconda the river will rise .08 Tuesday; rise .03 Wednesday; and rise .03 Thursday.

At Paducah the river will fall .02 Tuesday; rise .05 Wednesday; and fall .04 Thursday.

At Grand Chain the river will no information available.

At Cairo the river will fall .03 Tuesday; will remain the same on Wednesday and Thursday.

LOCAL STOCKS

	BID	ASK
1st Nat Bk of Sik	5¾	6½
Anheuser Busch	37⅝	38¼
Bk Bldg & Equip	12⅝	13⅛
Chase Nat	10½	11½
Clinton Oil	2	2¼
Martha Manning	1½	2¼
Olson Bros	1	1¾
Pabst Brewing	30⅝	31⅛
Scottish Inns	1⅛	1⅜
Wetterau	15½	16
LISTED STOCKS		
Allied Stores		29⅞
American Tel & Tel		50¼
American Motors		5⅝
Chrysler		11⅜
Columbia Gas		26⅛
Eaton Mfg		25¾
Ford Motors		38⅜
General Motors		45½
Interstate Brands		9¾
Malone & Hyde		24⅞
MidSouth Util		13⅜
J. C. Penney		58¾
New England Elect		17⅞
Occidental Pet		16
WalMart Stores		19⅜

EDITOR'S NOTE: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer. These are listings at the close of the previous market.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum, Registered Representative for Rowland and Co. 1405 East Malone. Phone 471-5350.

EMERGENCY PATIENTS

Accident patients treated and released over the weekend in the emergency room at Missouri Delta Community Hospital were:

Friday — Robert Cook, 15, Parma, cut hand in fall; James Brown Jr., 34, Parma, foreign object in eye; Gerald Davis, 17, Matthews, hit head on rock; David Pearson, 23, Sikeston, cut hand; Bobby DeMay, 39, East Prairie, fractured right knee; James Cantrell III, 15, Blodgett, scratched and bruised elbow in fall from bicycle; Charles Hurley, 69, Charleston, fractured ribs; Robert Horton, 25, Sikeston, sprained left knee and ankle; Richard Henry, 16, Charleston, fractured ankle.

Iva Brown, 70, Sikeston, muscle strain in car accident; Frank Hooser, 42, Portageville, multiple cuts.

Tim Adkisson, 17, East Prairie, strained right elbow while throwing ball; Donald Mason Jr., 7, Sikeston, cut hand in fall; James Dodd, 43, Sikeston, can fall on hand; Robbie Tripp, 7, East Prairie, fractured bone in forearm; Robert Mothershead, 15, Benton, insect in ear; Chris Lewis, 6, Lilbourn, fractured forearm in fall; and James Taylor, 10, East Prairie, cut left leg when bicycle ran into truck.

Saturday — Johnny Clifton, 32, Sulligent, Ala., cut forehead; Lester Carter, 26, Sikeston, hurt hand at work; David Long; 27, Parma, fish hook in finger; William Mitchem 17, Lilbourn, cut head on can; Mearl Welch, 36, Advance, fractured right foot; Robert Perry, 19, Charleston, cut finger; Harry Goodin, 8, Charleston, tick in right eye; Mae Tucker, 58, Sikeston, multiple bruises to arm and leg in fall; Claude Old, 21, Sikeston, muscle strain; Sheila Pigg, 15, Sikeston, cut hand on glass; Debby Brown, 20, Sikeston, bruised jaw; Randy Hopper, 10, Sikeston, hurt foot.

Tammy Hendrix , 5, Sikeston swallowed penny; Leroy Matthews, 41, East Prairie, cut and multiple bruises to head in fall; Michael Bray, 11, Sikeston, puncture wound in left foot; George Orr, 18, Morehouse, cut right ear; Leonard Holyfield, 67, Lilbourn, puncture wound in hand; Carl Simplins Sr., 52, East Prairie, first and second degree burns on back when radiator blew up; Anthony Robinson, 7, Sikeston, bruised knee when truck ran over leg; James Payne, 13, Sikeston, multiple scratches and bruises in fall from car hood; Kim Sargent, 12, Sikeston, cut foot; James Bettis, 2 months, Vanduser, fell down steps; and Adrea Beetis, 20, Vanduser, fell down steps.

Sunday — Charles Smith, 17, Sikeston, second-degree burn to hand and arm at work, Michael Berry, 3, Bertrand, bit by dog; Glenn Matthews III, 4, Sikeston, head injury in fall on concrete; Susan Askew, 9, East P rairie, fell on glass; Denise Stallman, 22, Matthews, serious injuries in car accident; Roy Rhodes, 9, Lilbourn, fishhook in ear lobe; Christopher Latham, 3, Sikeston, shot in head with BB gun; Derreck Darter, 1, Sikeston knocked tooth out in fall; William Dowell, 10 months, Westville, Fla., fell; John Hosentfeld, 7, East Prairie, fell; Eddie Beavers 22, Lilbourn, cut leg on car door; and Aniel Ross, 5, Sikeston, cut foot.

ARRESTS

Richard Edward Johnson, St. Louis, public intoxication.

Willis Albert Layton, Bloomfield, no driver's license.

Police radar traps caught the following people speeding:

Cleveland Mosby, 323 Petty St.; Maria Y. Ray, Benton Route One; James Orville Starr, Route One; Jeffery Allen Baker, 803 Pine St.; John Dee Ray, Box 214; Frank Williams Jr., 703 Washington St.; Terry Allen Standridge, Route Two; Joseph B. Jorden, Morley; Patrick Dean Voelker, 800 N. Kingshighway.

Edward Dwaine Gates, 420 Missouri St.; Paula Kay Crocker, 105 Adams St.; James Edward Cloud, 202 Branum Ave.; Eldon Ziegenhorn, 1005 N. Kingshighway; Robert N. Cobert N. Cobb, 405 Broadway Ave.; Theordore A. Elliott, 608 Holly Hill Drive; James E. Brewer, Benton Route One; James Gregory Plunk, Morehouse; and Roberta Cutter, 419 Cole St.

Other arrests include:

Wayne Lee Harris, Route Three, careless and imprudent driving; William A. Dock, Route Two, ran stop light; Gloria Faye Marshall, 208 Dixie St., petit larceny at Penneys;

Lawrence Dean Garner, 412 Crowe Place, petit larceny at Cyrus Motel and no city sticker; and Dale Forbis, Route Four, ran stop sign.

FIRE

Fire damaged the Gay Carter home, in Vanduser Sunday afternoon.

Sikeston and Vanduser firemen were called shortly before 1 p.m. when the fire apparently broke out in wiring in the second floor.

Firemen said there was considerable damage to the second floor.

WEATHER ELSEWHERE
By The Associated Press .. Monday

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albany	76	54		clr
Albu'que	78	51		cdy
Amarillo	87	55	.02	cdy
Anchorage	58	44		clr
Asheville	75	55	.05	clr
Atlanta	79	58		clr
Birmingham	83	58		clr
Bismarck	81	45	.05	cdy
Boise	78	52		cdy
Boston	74	56		cdy
Brownsville	88	74		cdy
Buffalo	75	60		clr
Charleston	86	70	.01	clr
Charlotte	78	60		clr
Chicago	84	63		clr
Cincinnati	83	53		clr
Cleveland	77	61		clr
Denver	76	50		cdy
Des Moines	90	69		cdy
Detroit	81	55		cdy
Duluth	76	52		cdy
Fairbanks	48	37		M
Fort Worth	89	71		cdy
Green Bay	83	55	.24	cdy
Helena	69	42		rn
Honolulu	85	72		clr
Houston	83	72		cdy
Ind'apolis	83	55		clr
Jacks'ville	87	65		clr
Juneau	54	41		M
Kansas City	88	72		cdy
Las Vegas	89	65		clr
Little Rock	87	64		clr
Los Angeles	69	57		cdy
Louisville	82	58		cdy
Marquette	80	46		cdy
Memphis	85	68		clr
Miami	88	72	.02	cdy
Milwaukee	83	50		cdy
Mpls-St. P.	83	62	.04	cdy
New Orleans	84	64		clr
New York	74	59		clr
Okla. City	85	62	.20	cdy
Omaha	90	69		cdy
Orlando	91	65		cdy
Philad'phia	68	56		clr
Phoenix	91	67		clr
Pittsburgh	73	52		clr
P'tland Ore.	66	44		rn
Rapid City	88	49		cdy
Richmond	71	65	.09	clr
St. Louis	85	65		clr
Salt Lake	75	54		cdy
San Diego	70	59		cdy
San Fran	58	52		clr
Seattle	59	39		rn
Spokane	63	36		rn
Tampa	88	69		clr
Washington	76	65		clr

Hi—Previous day's high.
Lo—This morning's low.
Prc—Precipitation foc 24 hours ending 8 a.m. today Eastern time.
Otlk—Sky conditions outlook for today.

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Quotations for Monday: Cattle 2,300. Slaughter steers and heifers 50-1.00 higher than early last week. Slaughter cows uneven, averaging steady. Feeder cattle and calves not established as most to be carried over for auction later this week. Slaughter steers choice relatively high dressing 1050-1090 lb 50.00; choice 950-1200 lb 48.00-49.00; mixed good and choice 900-1150 lb 47.00-48.00; good 42.00-46.50. Slaughter heifers choice 850-1050 lb 46.00-47.00; mixed good and choice 800-1000 lb 44.50-46.00; good 750-900 lb 40.00-44.00. Slaughter cows utility and few commercial 23.00-26.00, high dressing 26.50.

Hogs 2,000. Barrows and gilts steady to 25 lower; 1-2 210-230 lb 48.25; 1-3 200-250 lb 47.50-48.00; 2-4 250-260 lb unevenly 46.50-47.50; 260-280 lb 45.25-46.75; 280-310 lb 44.75-45.50; few lots 320-340 lb 44.00-44.50. Sows 25-75 higher; 1-3 350-495 lb 40.75-41.50; 500-650 lb 41.50-42.00.

Sheep 75. All classes steady. Spring slaughter lambs choice and prime 80-107 lb 49.00-50.50; old crop slaughter lambs choice and some prime 90-107 lb 43.00-47.50. Slaughter ewes cull through good usually shorn 7.00-11.00.

Estimates for Tuesday: cattle 1,200; hogs 2,000; sheep 75.

Foreign Oversight

As late as 1939 there were no speed limits on British roads except in congested areas, a fact that caused some embarassment when a British auto club came to America for a well-publicized motor tour. On their very first day, the visitors ran afoul of New Jersey patrolmen who pulled them over for cruising at speeds of 80 and 90 miles an hour.

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President to sign bill

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Ford is expected to sign the $405 million refugee-aid bill to help resettle more than 100,000 Vietnamese and Cambodian refugees and to appoint a committee to direct that effort.

Meanwhile, both supporters and opponents of the strip-mining control bill are predicting that Ford will veto it, just as he did a similar bill last year.

While Ford hasn't said whether he'll veto the strip-mining bill, Federal Energy Administrator Frank G. Zarb and other administration officials have expressed opposition to it.

The bill imposes national environmental curbs on coal strip mining, which accounts for half of all coal produced in the United States.

The measure also requires coal operators to restore land to productive use after mining is completed and would levy a tax of up to 35 cents a ton of coal to clean up thousands of acres of abandoned strip-mining excavations, most of them in Appalachia.

The House earlier this month approved the bill 293 to 115, or 21 votes more than the two-thirds that would be needed to override another veto if the same number of congressmen were voting. The Senate passed it by voice vote.

Ford's veto of the 1974 strip-mining measure did not come up for a congressional test because the President used a pocket veto, returning the bill to Congress after the lawmakers had recessed in December.

Restaurant destroyed by fire

MALDEN — Fire gutted the Smoke House Restaurant on Highway 25 North in Malden early Friday morning, leaving only a shell of three walls standing.

According to assistant fire chief Willard Rogers, the Malden Fire Department received the call at 1:35 a.m. and trucks from both the Malden Air Base and the downtown station answered the call.

Cause of the fire is not yet known. The establishment closed at 9:30 Friday night with all equipment working normally.

Firemen fought the blaze until 5 a.m. Friday with both pumpers pouring water onto the blaze for over three hours.

The building was owned by Clarence Kilmer.

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State birth rate shows increase

JEFFERSON CITUY, Mo. (AP) — The number of births in Missouri increased somewhate in January of this year as compared with the same period in 1974, according to figures reported by the Missouri Center for Health Statistics.

There were an estimated 6,343 births during the first month of this year—a rate of 16.1 per cent for each 1,000 population.

In January of 1974, there were 6,101 births, which computes into a rate of 15.0 per cent per thousand.

During the 12 months ending with January, there were 69,898 births in Missouri, a 2.1 per cent increase over the 68,433 births in the comparable period a year earlier. But the figrues are 3.6 per cent below the 1973 birth total of 72,417.

Two Lilbourn students receive honors

LILBOURN — Brenda Lancaster has been named valedictorian of the 1975 graduating class at Lilbourn High School. Brenda Highland is salutatorian.

Miss Lancaster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lancaster, earned a 10.45 grade point average from a possible 11 points. During high school, she has been a member of the band for four years, majorette for three years, head majorette two years, and Beta Club member for four years. She served Beta club as vice president and as president.

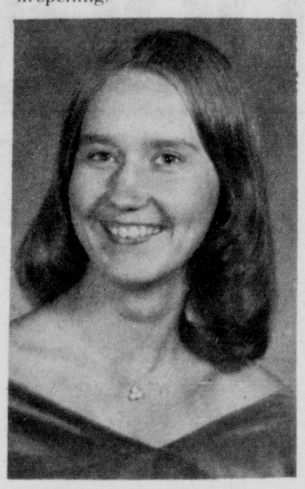
Other activities include Future Homemakers of America, member for two years and vice president one year; Future Business Leaders of America, president one year; yearbook staff one year; and junior-senior play.

Her honors include selection to the Society of Outstanding American High School Students for two years, and awards in biology, advanced biology, English III, French, communication skills, general office practice, third place in state machine transcription contest, member of first place state spelling contest team.

Miss Highland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Highland, won her honors with a grade point average of 10.15.

She has been on the honor roll all four years of high school and received three perfect attendance awards. Her awards include French I, French II, French II, English I, Home Economics I. She was president of Future Homemakers of America, member of Beta Club and Future Business Leaders of America and was elected to Who's Who Among American High School students during her junior year.

At the FBLA district contest this year she placed second in machine transcription and fifth in spelling.



Brenda Lancaster



Brenda Highland



Local girl wins a car

Cindy Collom, right, of Sikeston won a 1952 Oldsmobile for collecting the highest amount of pledges for the third annual March of Dimes walkathon April 26 at Cape Girardeau. The car was donated by Ray Bennett, of Cape Girardeau, center. Also present as the car was presented to Miss Collom was Shirley Sullins, board member of the Southeast Missouri Chapter of the March of Dimes.

March of Dimes pledges go over $1,000 for walk

CAPE GIRARDEAU--Cindy Collom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collom of 910 Moore Ave., Sikeston, won a 1952 Oldsmobile, the top award given for the third annual March of Dimes walkathon on April 26 in Cape Girardeau.

Miss Collom won the automobile by collecting the largest amount of pledges for the walkathon, which was sponsored by the Southeast Missouri Chapter of the March of Dimes. The car was donated for the event by Ray Bennett of Cape Girardeau, owner of Cape Volkswagen.

Placing second for the largest amount of pledges was Nancy Harrison of Cape Girardeau, who won a weekend for two at Howard Johnson's. Randy Davis of Patton earned a one-week membership at Cosmopolitan Spa by placing third, and Cindy Baer of Perryville won a pair of jog shoes for placing fourth.

Michael L. Richey of Cape Girardeau was presented a dinner for two at Nickerson Farmers for being the oldest walker. The youngest walker was Rickey Colbert of Sikeston, who received a gift certificate from Shivelbines.

Winners of drawings for tickets to Esquire Theater were Ron Dye of Sikeston, Jessie Brown of Piedmont, Patty Goodman of Illmo, Lana Hailey of Chaffee, Nancy Friedrich of Jackson, William Watson of Charleston and Elizabeth Hagan, Carla Allen, Shelia Smiley and Diana Ruester of Cape Girardeau.

Melba Gilliland of Sikeston, Kevin Dumey of Scott City and Tracy Buchhett of Chaffee were winners of tickets to Skate World in Sikeston.

In a drawing for puppies, winners were Thomas Smith of Patton, Sherry Laseter of Sikeston and Susan Eftink of Kelso.

The last walker in was Moe Tobin of Cape Girardeau.

Kelly High School of Benton was named the school with the most walkers per enrollment, and a trophy was presented to the student council.

The first counting of pledges following the event amounted to $7,979.58.

May is month for car care

JEFFERSON CITY — Col. Sam. S. Smith, superintendent of the Missouri Highway Patrol, today urged motorists to have their vehicles safety checked before taking a trip over the Memorial Day holiday weekend.

Speaking in connection with the current observance of Car Care Month in Missouri, Col. Smith said, "The upcoming Memorial Day weekend affords a good opportunity for motorists to begin a periodic vehicle inspection program of their own. Prior to that holiday trip, they should have their vehicles' vital safety items checked and have any defects corrected. Then they should make it a point to have their vehicles checked periodically through the summer and during the months that follow. The development of an inspection program of their own will give them the satisfaction of knowing that their vehicles are in safe operating condition and that they have made the first step toward safer driving."

Rate increase is suspended

JEFFERSON CITY — Rate changes proposed by Southwestern Bell Telephone Company for switching systems and related equipment used by businesses and other organizations have been suspended for investigation by the Missouri Public Service Commission.

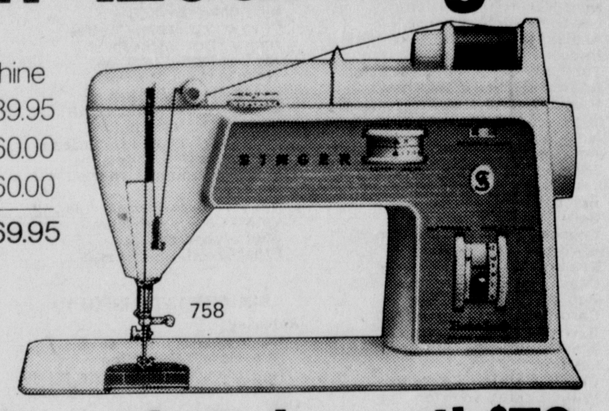
The proposed rates were suspended for four months beyond May 14, the effective date requested by Southwestern Bell. The Commission may suspend the rates for an additional period of six months if necessary. Hearings may be scheduled on the proposal later.

The rates requested by the company would, if approved, apply only to new installations and would have no effect on systems now in use.

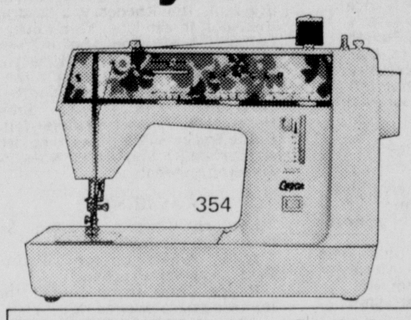
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It's a winner

A taste of honey

Pillsbury Company's annual Bake-Off contest featured a new twist. The grocery division entries stressed homey, family-oriented and cost-conscious food ideas while in the refrigerated division, the recipes for home entertaining are more expensive but use few ingredients and are quick to prepare.

From Wilmington, Del., is Mrs. Walter Byrde who submitted a winner ... Honey and Nut Coffee Cake. She is a homemaker with three adult children and her husband is an engineer. Her hobbies include sewing, cooking, sailing, woodworking and collecting antiques. She enjoys making quilts and building furniture. She recently made a wood-carvers' tour of Germany.

HONEY AND NUT COFFEE CAKE

1 package hot roll mix
¾ cup very warm water (105-115 degrees F.)
¼ cup sugar
1 tsp. grated lemon peel
One-third cup butter or margarine, melted
1 egg

FILLING

1 cup finely chopped nuts
1 tsp. cinnamon
3 Tbsp. honey
2 Tbsp. light cream, evaporated milk or 1 Tbsp. milk
1 tsp. vanilla
1 egg

GLAZE

1 cup powdered sugar
1 Tbsp. honey
1 to 2 Tbsp. hot water

In large bowl, dissolve yeast from hot roll mix in water. Stir in sugar, lemon peel, butter and egg. Add flour mixture; blend well. Cover; let rise in warm place until light and doubled in size, 45 to 60 minutes. Generously grease (not oil) 12-cup fluted tube pan (non-stick finish pan, too). Stir down dough; press half into greased pan.

Combine filling ingredients; spoon over dough in pan. Cover filling with remaining dough. Cover; let rise in warm place until light and doubled in size, 30 to 45 minutes. Preheat oven to 350 degrees (325 degrees for colored fluted tube pan). Bake 30 to 40 minutes until light golden brown. Loosen edges; remove from pan. Combine glaze ingredients until smooth; drizzle over warm bread. Yield: 10-inch ring coffee cake.

Events Goin' On

MONDAY

Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary will meet at 7 p.m., at the Heritage House.

TUESDAY

Delta Gamma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority will meet at 7:30 p.m., at the home of Cathy Senter, 525 Carroll St.

MONDAY

Morehouse Order of the Eastern Star is sponsoring a dinner for members of Morehouse Masonic Lodge A.S.&A.M. and their wives at 7 p.m., at the community building.

TUESDAY

Sikeston Extension Club will meet at 7:30 p.m., in the home of Mrs. Eldon Ziegenhorn, 1005 N. Kingshighway.

TUESDAY

Tau Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority will meet at 7:30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Hugh McCollum, 502 Benton St.

TUESDAY

Xi Epsilon Zeta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority will meet at the home of Melba McCord, 205 Powers Drive. Dorothy Scott will present a program on Canada.

MONDAY

Matthews Community Club will meet at 7:30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. William Depro of Matthews. Mrs. G. H. Jones and Mrs. Depro will present a program on interior design and equipment.

TUESDAY

Xi Zeta Alpha Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority will meet at 7:30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Laurel Carr, 113 Thomas Drive. Glenna Priday will present a program.

WEDNESDAY

Canalou Community Women's Club will meet at 1:30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. F. A. Mitchell. Mrs. Jerry Sisson will present a program on interior design and equipment.

Household hints

Add a little crushed garlic to lemon juice and use as a baste for broiled chicken.

Canvas:

Foundation of heritage needlework

In needlepoint, what you can't see when you've finished your embroidery is just as important as what you see.

You canvas vanishes from sight as you stitch it, but its quality can make your embroidery hours effortless and pleasurable . . . or it can make each stitch a tug-of-war with rough-edged threads that catch at your tapestry wool.

I thought of that a few weeks ago as I watched a woman buy materials to work a handsome chair seat she had designed. She got off to a fine start with exactly the right size and quality of needles, fine tapestry wool in a delicately shaded range of colors — and then she chose the cheapest canvas in the store.

I couldn't resist asking her why, and the answer, with a shrug, was, "It's not that important. It won't show."

She couldn't be further from the truth.

That canvas was going to be the foundation of her work, the support of her careful design and hours of stitching. With a fine strong canvas her effort could become a piece of lovely heritage needlework that would last for generations.

The simplest test of canvas strength is to try to tear it. Since stores may take a dim view of your tugging at canvases (though you can test leftover pieces of canvas from your own past projects), it's a good idea to ask the advice of a needlework shop expert.

The more wear your finished design will get (a chair seat, for example, as opposed to a framed picture), the sturdier the canvas should be. A simple design on a bold scale for a carpet or quickpoint pillow may have only five threads to the inch. Medium canvas — say 10 threads to the inch — will help capture details of a more intricate design. Fine petit point canvas, 17 to 22 threads to the inch, gives you a chance to execute exquisite flower petal shading, and lets a pictured face come alive with expression.



Canvas that's 13 threads to the inch is my preference for most pieces. It's easy to see each thread, yet fine enough for detail. I'd advise avoiding canvas with rough, starched finishes; it takes force to pull threads through it and your yarn may fray.

You should also be aware of mono, a single-thread canvas, and duo, a double-thread canvas. Duo permits interesting contrasts. On a 10-thread duo canvas you can do 10 stitches per inch in gros point and 20 stitches per inch (for a face or flower) in petit point.

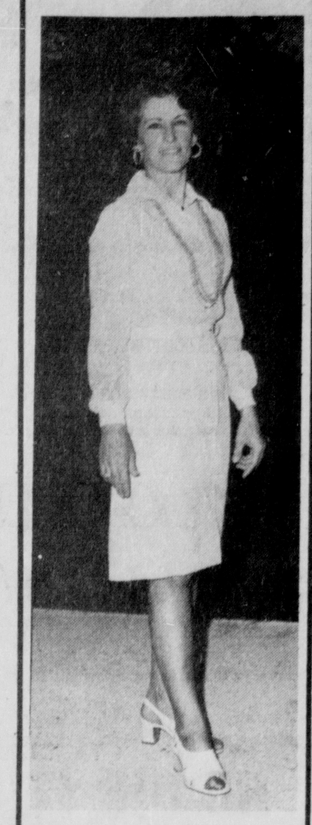
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Ann Landers

Both sides of pitiful story reported in column

Dear Readers: Every now and then I hear from a reader who spots himself in the column and asks to tell HIS side of the story. Today's column is truly extraordinary. Here's the original letter that prompted the follow-up:

Dear Ann Landers: My husband and I accumulated $2500 in a local bank by depositing $5 and $10 a week. Our 20-year-old son, who does not live at home, entered our house when we were on vacation. He stole our passbook and withdrew $100 by forging his father's signature to our joint account.

He then proceeded to forge his father's name at this bank and other branches in the city. Within two weeks he empited the account of all but $5.

He requested a duplicate bankbook, returned the original to our home and kept the duplicate, in the hope that he could replace the money before we found out what he had done.

We might have been spared all this grief had one person been alert. Why did they give him a duplicate passbook? How could so many people in the respected profession of banking have used such poor judgment?--Syracuse, N.Y.

Dear Syracuse: I find it fascinating that your complaint is against the bank employees when the real tragedy is that your son is a crook.

My Chicago banking consultant suggests that you contact the senior officer of your bank and seek his counsel. MY advice is to try to get that boy into therapy at once.

This letter arrived today:

Dear Ann: I am the 20-year-old son who took my parents' bankbook and forged my father's signature.

First I'd like to tell you a little about my past. At age 16 my parents considered me a discipline problem and had me committed to a psychiatric hospital in Syracuse. After six months the doctor said, "This hospital is no place for you. I'm recommending a private school."

The day after my 17th birthday, off I went. I soon discovered it was no private school but a reformatory full of criminals. I learned every trick of the trade in that rathole. Forgery, robbery, flim-flam--you name it. You called me a crook, Ann. Granted I did some criminal things, but I didn't pick them up on my own, nor would I have associated with such people if I hadn't been exposed to that environment.

I've tried every which way to help myself. I've sought the help of professionals when things got rough. I'm now 21 and still as bad off as I was back then. I called my mother the night your column appeared only to find that four warrants were out for my arrest in Syracuse. She said it was an act of God that I happened to read that column and maybe now I will learn something.

But I can't do it on my own. I was thrown out of the house at age 18 and have had no relationship with my parents whatsoever. It has been one hell of a struggle. If only I had parents I could talk to. But they've disowned me and I am running in fear. Can you help?--I Want To Stop

Dear Want To Stop: Your need for love is heartbreaking. But don't give up--you CAN be helped.

Call the Mental Health Clinic at Upstate University Hospital, 750 East Adams, Syracuse, N.Y., telephone 473-5540. Ask for an appointment with the psychiatrist in charge. I've already phoned in your behalf and they are waiting to help you. Please let me know how you get along.



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Sports Corner

Ron Jaynes

JR. COLLEGE REPORT

Meramec Community College of St. Louis topsthe final National Junior College baseball poll with a 42-10 season record. Meramec has already qualified for the National Baseball Tournament scheduled for Grand Junction, Colo., by winning the Central District Tournament.

Crowder College of Neosho finished 12th with a 30-3 season slate.

Mineral Area College of Flat River placed fifth in team hitting, according to the final statistics of the NJCAA. The Cardinals finished the campaign with a 24-11 record and a .341 team hitting mark.

GaryColeman of Longview Community College at Lee's Summit finished second nationally in strikeouts, working 25 innings and fanning 41 for a 1.64 average.

BASKETBALL CAMP

Three Rivers Community College of Poplar Bluff will conduct the school's first basketball camp June 2-6 for junior high and high school students. The camp will be managed by Gene Bess, Jim King and Gary Holland and will feature guest coaches from day to day to provide specialized instruction.

The camp will be limited to the first 50 who apply for admission. A tuition fee will be charged and housing will be available for some who wish to stay in Poplar Bluff for the week long event.

For further information, call 785-6843; 785-2475; or 785-0076.

SEMO STATE BASEBALL

Lilbourn's Grant Dambach paced Southeast Missouri State University in eight batting categories this season as the Indians finished with an 18-6 record.

The sharp fielding shortstop led the team in batting with a .333 mark and appeared in all of the teams 27 games. He led the team in at bats with 93, runs with 23 and hits with 31 while tying in doubles with five, RBI's with 15 and sacrafice's with five.

Sikestonians Rick Eisenbach and Jim Saulters got into 10 games for SEMO this season and finished with respectable batting marks. Eisenbach batted .307 with eight hits in 26 at bats, scoring two runs and driving in two runs while drawing three walks and reached first after being hit by a pitch.

Saulters had five safties in 19 times at bat for a .263 mark. He scored three runs and drove in one while drawing three free passes.

Southeast finished the season with a .267 team batting average.

May 19, 1975

Dear Ron:

I'd like to use your "Sports Corner" as a forum to ask for some financial help for what I believe to be a very worthwile project involving some of the young men of Sikeston. With direction from Tom Masterson, a familiar name in area independent baseball circles, we are attempting to give college-age baseball players a place to keep their talents sharp over the summer, now that they are ineligible for any other form of organized play.

Just think on it...for the better part of ten summers these young men have played summer baseball, mostly inSikeston leagues, and, now that they're out of high school, they are too old for any summer ball. Some of these guys are playing college baseball and in most cases the college will find a job and a semi-pro team for any player who wants the competition...but, what if you want to come home.. Most of our players decided being with their parents and friends for the summer was more important than staying at school, but they still want to play.

No one is making any money out of this venture. Tom, Steve McPheeters and myself are all willing to buy our own uniforms since we have full-time jobs with independent incomes, but, of course, the young men have neither the means nor the desire to purchase their own suits.Thusly, we ask the Sikeston area merchants, and even individuals for their financial aid--no matter how small. Even a five dollar bill will buy a bat.

Most of these young men are from Sikeston, and all team members are from Scott county. They have given the people of this area a lot of enjoyable watching now the people of Sikeston have an opportunity to pay them back, plus get to watch the team. (Most of the home games will be played at V.F.W. Stadium.)

We aren't asking for people to mail money into a post office box or anything. If the interested parties will just call me at 471-1400 or 471-4420, Tom at 471-0222 or Steve at 471-1520 or 471-6941, somebody will come by to talk with you...and I'llguarantee it will be prompt.

The amount we are thinking of is 400-500 dollars. This is allowing nothing for traveling expenses or extra baseballs and bats. We will be more than glad to absorb this expense if we could just afford to buy the very necessary uniforms and catcher's equipment.

Your response is encouraged--and welcomed and everyone will be more than welcome to see our games this upcoming season. We hope this team will become an annual opportunity for the young ballplayers of Sikeston.

Ron, thanks for your help. I remain,

Your friend,
Dale L. Forbis

Vanduser third in SeMo softball

By CINDY MIEDERHOFF

Vanduser defeated the New Hamburg Falstaffs 9-2 in Semo Softball League action Friday night. The win gives Vanduser a 3-2 record for the season. Owens was the winning pitcher and Kern received the loss. Enderle was the relief pitcher for Kern in the fifth inning.

Vanduser's strongest scoring endeavor came in the fifth and last inning of play when they raked in four runs. Vanduser scored at least one run in every inning except the third. They claimed three in the first, one in the second, and one in the fourth to conclude their scoring. Vanduser jumped to the early lead which was only a slight one at that. Vanduser was winning at the end of the first inning 3-2. They went on to pile up many more runs by leading 4-2 at the end of the second and 5-2 at the end of the fourth. The fifth inning was the one which really did the trick for Vanduser when they rapped up four runs to win by a seven run advantage.

The leading scorers for Vanduser, were Harold Graviett with one, along with David Pobst and Gary Owens who both had one also, and Wayne Limbaugh, Kris Dover, and Charlie Dye who all had two each. In the hitting department, the New Hamburg Falstaffs were outdone by that mysterious number seven again. Vanduse r had a total of ten hits while the Falstaffs of New Hamburg claimes a total of three. Fopr Vanduser, HaroldGraviett had two hits, Wayne Limbaugh belted two hits also, Kris Dover had a total of two hits including a double to drive in a run, and Owens, Dye, Pobst, and Phillips all had one hit each. For New Hamburg, John Merrick was the leading and only scorer with two runs made which included two runs batted in. John Merrick also smashed a hit, along with teammates Murray and Kern who knocked his also. Murray proved to be the outstanding hit smasher with a double in the second inning of play.

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Geese explode theories

COLUMBIA--If good theories were dippers, it would be tough to get a drink.

They don't always hold water...

That's what Dave Graber found out when he theorized about those high rise geese.

Graber, a graduate student at the University of Missouri's Cooperative Wildlife Research Unit here, has been studying a flock of cliff-nesting Canada geese for nearly two years.

The first reports of the geese filtered into wildlife circles in the 1950s but it wasn't until 1971 that biologists and moviemakers Glenn Chambers and Charles Schwartz of the Department of Conservation documented the existence of the birds along the Missouri River cliffs near Hermann.

Graber began the study with one good theory of the origin of the birds, that they were descended from some western Canada geese stocked on the August A. Busch Memorial Wildlife Area, but area residents recalled seeing geese on the river as far back as the 1920s, long before the Busch Area began.

That left two theories -- that they were leftovers from the days when live decoys were permitted or that they'd always been there, even though early explorers didn't mention seeing geese nesting on the Missouri cliffs.

Graber found the flock of an estimated 180 to 200 birds ranged from just east of Jefferson City to St. Charles -- some 115 miles of river.

There is a resident flock of about 300 geese at the Busch Area in St. Charles County, within two miles of the river, and Graber's flock could have been part of that flock.

It wasn't, but the Busch Area proved to be a very important factor in the habits of the river geese. Almost the instant the first shot of the waterfowl season was fired, the river geese vanished from the river and reappeared on the Busch Area, which is a refuge.

"We actually watched a flock fired at by an illegal hunter," Graber says. "The birds flew directly to the cliffs, the first time they'd been there all summer, and two days later were at the Busch Area."

Finding the nests was no easy research project. the cliffs are as high as 200 feet and there are many ledges where the birds can nest. Once on the nest, the birds are almost invisible.

The only way to reach the nests was by rappelling off the top of the cliff.

Once the baby geese hatch, they spend only a day in the nest, then actually leap from the cliff as much as 150 feet to the ground below. Graber found one baby dead from the fall, but most survive.

The biggest hazard is the railroad track which parallels the base of the cliff. The rails are a huge hurdle for a tiny goose and predators lurk all along the bluff base. Track workers told Graber they frequently stop their work to boost baby geese over the rails.

Once in the river the babies are relatively safe.

Graber banded geese both at the Busch Area and on the river, netting those at the Busch Area and running the river geese down one by one while they were molting and thus flightless. He also used a cannon net on sandbars of the river, catching about half the geese he caught this way.

He found most of the river birds stayed there during the summer but some of his non-breeders left in the spring and showed up at Green Bay, Wisconsin.

The future for the geese on the Missouri is cloudy because of continued river channel work that closes off needed chutes and eliminates islands the geese need for food and shelter.

"The islands and backwater areas are needed primarily as brook-rearing areas," Graber says. "This may be the weak link in the chain. Adults seem to be able to make it all right during most of the year, but also need these same islands and backwaters while they're molting."

The upper Mississippi River has potential, Graber thinks, but so far does not have a flock of birds.

Sportsman's Calendar

	OPENS	CLOSES	BAG LIMIT (Daily-Possession)
HUNTING			
Groundhogs, Coyotes	Now Open	No Closed Season	Unlimited
Squirrels	May 24	Dec. 31	6-12
Bullfrogs	Sunset June 30	Nov. 30	8-8
FISHING			
Impoundments (All Species)	Now Open	No Closed Season	Wee Wildlife Code
Ozark Streams (Largemouth, smallmouth, spotted bass)	May 24	Feb. 28, 1976	See Wildlife Code
Trout Management Areas (Stamp Required)	Now Open	No Closed Season	See Wildlife Code
Walleye & Sauger	See Wildlife Code	See Wildlife Code	See Wildlife Code
Trout Parks	Now Open	Oct. 31	5-10
Paddlefish (snagging)	Now Open	May 15	2-2
Non-game fish (snagging, snarring, etc.)	Now Open	May 15	See Wildlife Code
Bullfrogs	Sunset June 30	Nov. 30	8-8

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JEFFERSON CITY — Two major outdoor seasons open in Missouri May 24, the Ozark stream bass season and the squirrel season.

On bass, there is a statewide minimum length limit of 12 inches in all streams. Daily limit is six, with 12 in possession.

In impoundments, the season is open all year. Daily limit is 10, with 20 in possession.

Hunters can take six squirrels per day, with 12 in possession. Because of a heavy acorn crop last year, squirrel hunting is expected to be good statewide this season.

Some do, some don't

JEFFERSON CITY — The best conclusion is some of 'em do and some of 'em don't.

There were at least two wild turkeys taken this spring wearing tags put there when the birds were trappedfor release in suitable habitat.

One of the birds had stayed virtually where it was stocked, while the other was a real traveler. A 22½ pound gobbler taken by Cleo Scheperle, Russellville, in Cole County was on the farm next to the one where he was released in 1968.

The bird could have been as much as 10 years old, an enormously old age for a wild turkey.

But Jerry Null, Stoddard County, took a 25 pound gobbler which had traveled at least 25 mile since its 1972 release south of Bernie.

Department of Conservation deer biologists, working with tagged animals, have foundthat most range very little, but an occasional individual has traveled 100 mils or more.

Some do, some don't.

Sports

TENNIS

LAS VEGAS, Nev.-Roscoe Tanner of Lookout Mountain, Tenn., won the $165,000 Alan King Tennis Classic with a 5-7, 7-5, 7-6 decision over Ross Case of Australia in the final.

BOURNEMOUTH, England-Janet Newberry of La Jolla, Calif., scored a surprise victory over Terry Holladay 7-9, 7-5, 6-3 to take the women's singles title in the $80,000 British Hardcourt Tennis Championships.



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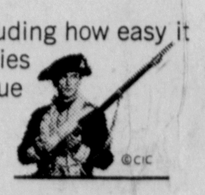
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Scoreboard

Baseball . . . .

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American League

East	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Milwaukee	19	13	.594	—
Boston	15	15	.500	3
Detroit	14	16	.467	4
Baltimore	15	18	.455	4½
Cleveland	13	19	.406	6
New York	13	20	.394	6½
West				
Oakland	21	13	.618	—
Texas	20	15	.571	1½
Kansas City	20	17	.541	2½
Minnesota	16	15	.516	3½
California	19	18	.514	3½
Chicago	14	20	.412	7

Saturday's Results
Minnesota 8, Milwaukee 7
Kansas City 5, Boston 3
California 6, Baltimore 3
Oakland 6, New York 1
Detroit 6, Texas 4
Chicago 10, Cleveland 1

Sunday's Results
California 5, Baltimore 1
New York 9, Oakland 1
Boston 4, Kansas City 2
Minnesota 6, Milwaukee 0
Cleveland 7, Chicago 6
Texas 7, Detroit 6, 11 innings

Monday's Games
Oakland at Boston, N
California at Cleveland, N
Kansas City at New York, N
Baltimore at Chicago, N
Detroit at Minnesota, N
Only games scheduled

Tuesday's Games
Oakland at Boston, N
Kansas City at New York, N
Texas at Milwaukee, N
Baltimore at Chicago, N
Detoit at Minnesota, N
Only games scheduled

National League

East	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Chicago	21	12	.636	—
Philphia	20	14	.588	1½
Pittsburgh	17	13	.567	2½
New York	15	15	.500	4½
St. Louis	14	18	.438	6½
Montreal	13	17	.433	6½
West				
Los Angeles	24	14	.632	—
Cincinnatis	20	19	.513	4½
San Diego	17	19	.472	6
Atlanta	18	21	.462	6½
S.Francisco	16	19	.457	6½
Houston	13	27	.325	12

Saturday's Results
Cincinnati 5, Montreal 3, 10 innings
St. Louis 17, San Francisco 2
Philadelphia 9, Atlanta 8
New York 6, Houston 4
Los Angeles 4, Pittsburgh 3, 10 innings
San Diego 4, Chicago 1

Sunday's Results
Philadelphia 5, Atlanta 1
Cincinnati 6, Montreal 1
Houston 12, New York 7
Chicago 3, San Diego 2
San Francisco 2, St. Louis 0
Pittsburgh 7, Los Angeles 2

Monday's Games
Pittsburgh at San Francisco
Philadelphia at Houston, N
St. Louis at San Diego, N
Chicago at Los Angeles, N
Only games scheduled

Tuesday's Games
Montreal at Atlanta, N
New York at Cincinnati, N
Philadelphia at Houston, N
St. Louis at San Diego, N
Chicago at Los Angeles, N
Pittsburgh at San Francisco, N

Leaders. . . .

National League

BATTING 75 at bats-Lacy, LA, .369; Cash, Phi, .366.

RUNS-Lopes, LA, 34; Cedeno, Htn, 28.

RUNS BATTED IN-T. Simmons, StL, 27; Garvey, LA, 27; Luzinski, Phi, 26; Watson, Htn, 26; Winfield, SD, 26.

HITS-Garvey, LA, 56; Cash, Phi, 53.

DOUBLES-Rose, Cin, 11; Cedeno, Htn, 11; Grubb, SD, 11; Madlock, Chi, 10; Monday, Chi, 10; Sizemore, StL, 10; Bench, Cin, 10.

TRIPLES-D. Parker, Pgh, 4; Kessinger, Chi, 3; Bowa, Phi, 3; Garr, Atl, 3; R. Andrews, Htn, 3; Gross, Htn, 3.

HOME RUNS-Luzinski, Phi, 8; Baker, Atl, 7; Correll, Atl, 7; Watson, Htn, 7; Cey, LA, 7; Winfield, SD, 7.

STOLEN BASES-Morgan, Cin, 19; Cedeno, Htn, 18.

PITCHING 5 Decisions-Messersmith, LA, 6-0, 1.000, 2.17; S. Stone, Chi, 5-0, 1.000, 1.02; Sutton, LA, 7-2, .778, 1.65.

STRIKEOUTS-Sutton, LA, 72; Messersmith, LA, 60.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

BATTING 75 at bats-Munson, NY, .387; Yount, Mil, .381.

RUNS-R. White, NY, 24; Rivers, Cal, 23.

RUNS BATTED IN-Hisle, Min, 26; McRae, KC, 25.

HITS-Rivers, Cal, 47; Munson, NY, 46.

DOUBLES-Chalk, Cal, 10; McRae, KC, 10; Lezcano, Mil, 9.

TRIPLES-Evans, Bsn, 3; Porter, Mil, 3; Remy, Cal, 3; Rivers, Cal, 3; Orta, Chi, 3; Patek, KC, 3.

HOME RUNS-Horton, Det, 8; Burroughs, Tex, 8; Grich, Bal, 6; Carbo, Bsn, 6; Hendrick, Cle, 6; Powell, Cle, 6; Hisle, Min, 6; R. Jackson, Oak, 6.

STOLEN BASES-Rivers, Cal, 22; Otis, KC, 21.

PITCHING 5 Decisions-Ryan, Cal, 8-1, .889, 1.82 Blue, Oak, 8-1, .889, 1.96 Kaat, Chi, 6-1, .857, 2.58.

STRIKEOUTS-Ryan, Cal, 74; Blyleven, Min, 63.

Cardinal baseball

National at San Francisco

ST. LOUIS	AB	R	H	BI
Brock lf	4	0	2	0
Sizemore 2b	4	0	0	0
Melendez cf	3	0	0	0
TSimmns c	2	0	0	0
Fairly rf	1	0	0	0
KHrndz 1b	3	0	0	0
Reitz 3b	3	0	0	0
Brinkmn ss	2	0	0	0
Cater ph	1	0	0	0
McGlothn p	2	0	0	0
Dwyer ph	1	0	0	0
Total	26	0	2	0

SAN FRANCISCO	AB	R	H	BI
Joshua cf	4	1	3	0
DThomas 2b	4	0	0	0
Murcer rf	3	0	1	1
Matthews lf	4	0	0	0
Montanez 1b	3	1	1	0
Speier ss	4	0	2	1
Goodson 3b	4	0	1	0
DaRader c	4	0	1	0
Barr p	3	0	0	0
Total	33	2	9	2

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E—Brinkman. DP—San Francisco 2. LOB—St. Louis 2, San Francisco 10. 2B—Joshua. 3B—Montanez. SB—Joshua. SF—Murcer.

	IP	H	R	ER
McGlothen	8	9	2	2
Barr	9	2	0	0

WP—McGlothen. W—Barr, 4-3. L—McGlothen, 3-4. BB—McGlothen 2, Barr 3. SO—McGlothen y, Barr 6.
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Basketball . . .

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NBA PLAYOFFS

Finals

Best-of-7 Series

Saturday's Game
No game scheduled

Sunday's Result
Golden State 101, Washington 95, Golden State leads 1-0

Monday's Game
No game scheduled

Tuesday's Game
Washington vs. Golden State at San Francisco, CBS-TV

ABA PLAYOFFS

Finals

Best-of-7 Series

Saturday's Result
Kentucky 109, Indiana 101, Kentucky leads 3-0

Sunday's Game
No game scheduled

Monday's Game
Kentucky at Indiana

Tuesday's Game
No game scheduled



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Barr...stops Cards

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—What a difference a day makes to the San Francisco Giants. But to the St. Louis Cardinals, nothing's changed in two years.

After being walloped for 23 hits in a 17-2 loss to the Cardinals Saturday, the Giants came up with their best cure against St. Louis Sunday-right-handed pitcher Jim Barr.

Barr, who hasn't yielded a run to the Cardinals since July 19, 1973, maintained his mastery with a two-hit, 2-0 victory, extending his scoreless string to 24 1-3 innings against St. Louis.

"It's not just luck-he's a damned good pitcher," said Cardinals Manager Red Schoendienst. "Against us, he keeps the ball low and throws strikes. It looked like he made any pitch he wanted."

Barr faced only 29 batters over the 95-minute game and had a no-hitter for six innings. Lou Brock had the Cardinals' only two singles.

"He had it all together," said Cardinals' slugger Ted Simmons. "Maybe he just gets hyped for us. Everything he threw today was super."

Brock broke up the no-hit bid by ripping a knee-high liner off Barr's glove to lead off the sixth. Brock added a grounder up the middle in the ninth.

"The guys were quiet on the bench, but I wasn't. I had been thinking about the no-hitter early," said Barr, who improved his record to 4-3 and lowered his earned run average to 2.39.

"I told the guys after the second inning that they had better get me a run because the Cardinals weren't going to get any," recalled Barr, who got his wish in the fifth.

Von Joshua opened the fifth with a double off loser Lynn McGlothlen, 3-4, advanced on a wild pitch and scored on Bobby Mercer's sacrifice fly.

Willie Montanez' triple and Chris Speier's single added a run in the sixth. Joshua's three hits in four trips raised his average to .354, fourth best in the National League.

"I tried to throw harder today," Barr explained. "Normally, I'm pitching to spots, working on control," he added.

"This time, I just let loose. It's probably as hard as I've ever thrown."

Matinez to A's

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Teddy Martinez says a base-running blunder is the reason he's a member of the Oakland Athletics today, instead of the St. Louis Cardinals.

St. Louis sent the 27-year-old Martinez to the A's Sunday for Steve Staniland, a 20-year-old minor league pitcher, and a player to be named later.

The Cards also recalled former Boston Red Sox shortstop Mario Guerrero, 24, from their Tulsa farm club in the American Association to take Martinez's role as a backup infielder.

Martinez, who was batting .190 with two runs batted in in 21 at-bats this season, said the trade resulted from a mistake in St. Louis' 4-3 loss to the San Francisco Giants Friday night. He hesitated while trying to score from third base with the score tied 3-3 in the ninth and was thrown out.

"I didn't see him catch the ball," said Martinez. The ump was in my way...if I'd seen the ball I would have scored easily."

St. Louis Manager Red Schoendienst denied any connection between the trade and the base-running incident.

The Cardinals said Staniland, 2-2 this season for Modesto in the California League, would be sent to St. Petersburg in the Flordia State League. Guerrero, who was hitting .270 with 15 RBIs with Tulsa, was to join St. Louis today in San Diego.

The Cardinals also called up outfielder Jay Schueter from Tulsa to replace centerfielder Bake McBride, who is on the disabled list.

Rightfielder Reggie Smith, out of action for two weeks with a back ailment, was to return to St. Louis for re-examination of the injury prior to a decision whether to also place him on the disabled list, the Cardinals said.

St. Louis dominates prep tennis

COLUMBIA, Mo. (AP) — "I'm glad Russ wasn't having one of his better days," mused St. Louis Sumner junior Juan Farrow.

Farrow had just won his second straight Missouri high school singles title, defeating Russ Muenz of DeSmet, 7-6, 6-2, Saturday.

The victory represented a rematch of sorts between the two youths. Muenz battled Farrow for three sets last week in the St. Louis Country Day Invitational before Farrow took the finale, 8-6.

In other action Saturday, Kansas City Pembroke-Country Day's John Goodwin and Mike Rees slipped past Dave Hartig and Gary Miller of Lindbergh, 7-5, 2-6, 7-6, for the state doubles title.

Rockhurst, Pem-Day and Lindbergh tied for team honors, however, with 10 each, while St. Louis Sumner had 8, St. Louis Country Day 6½, DeSmet 6, Springfield Parkview 4½, St. Joseph Central 4, Burroughs and University City 2½, and Ladue, McCluer North and Webster Groves 2.

Finishing third in singles competition was Joe Ruysser of Rockhurst with a 6-3, 6-0 win over Barry Losson of St. Joseph Central, while St. Louis Country Day's Lee Blount and Mike Matheis defeated Lindbergh's Dave Krizman and Pete Brown, 6-2, 6-3, in the doubles consolation match.

Jays place 3rd in state meet

Charleston high school athletes completed a successful sports season over the week when the Bluejay tracksters placed third in the class AAA out-door track and field competition.

The Jays finished with 19 points, four off the winning pace set by Mexico and only two behind second place Kansas City Manual.

Spearheading the CHS effort was Ralph Mitchell, who set a state record in the 100 yard dash with a 9.9 time and placed second in the 220 yard dash, three tenths of a second behind the winning time of 22.6.

Charlie Clark scored a third for the Jays in the 100 yard dash while the teams 880 yard relay unit placed third with a 1:32 time and the Mile relay squad finished third with a 3:30.1 time.

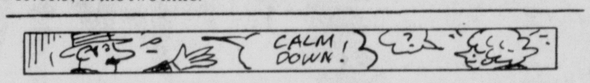
Caruthersville finished fifth with 11 points while Dexter, Kennett and Jackson scored in the event.

Gary Walton did all the scoring for the Tigers in their fifth place finish, placing third in the long jump with a 22-1 mark; fourth in the 440 with a 51.3 time and first in the triple jump with a 47-2 ¼ mark, which was a state record.

Dan Robis finished third in the Pole vault with a 13-3 ½ mark while Dexter's scoring came on Kenny Young's fourth place finish in the mile with a 4:32.4 time; Dwayne Galey's fourth place discus throw of 141-10 and Kenny Youngs fifth place, 10:01.9, in the two mile.

Poplar Bluff was the only Southeast Missouri team to score in the class AAAA event.

Cedrick Lewis finished fifth in the long jump with a 22-5 ¼ mark and Scott Harrell placed second in the discus with a 180-9 mark, which bettered the state record of 1974.



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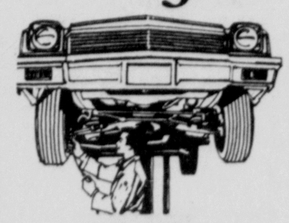
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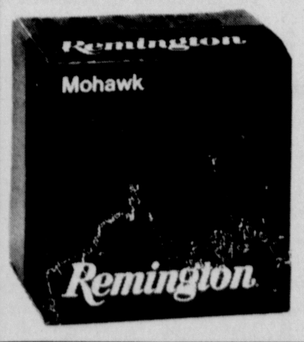


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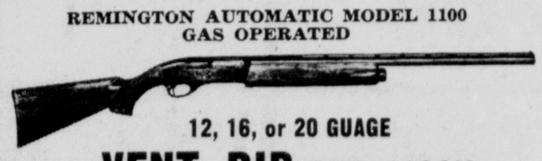
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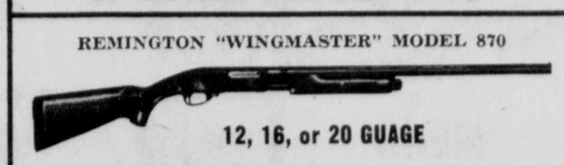
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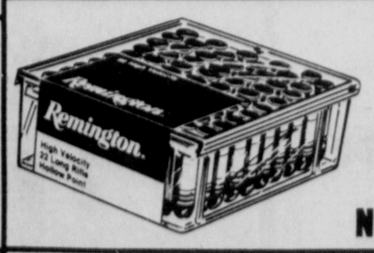
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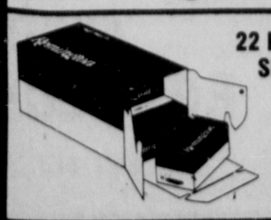
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Envoys plan energy talk

TEHRAN, Iran (AP) — The Iranian government newspaper reported today that the United States and other major industrial countries have agreed that the price of crude oil should be pegged to an index of the major products the oil countries buy from the industrial nations.

Rastakhiz said following Shah Mohammed Reza Pahlevi's "successful" discussions with U.S. officials over the weekend, special envoys of the United States, France, the European Economic Community, Saudi Arabia and Iran met secretly in Tehran and agreed to hold an energy conference.

The report did not say when the conference would be held.

The shah some months ago proposed that the price of crude oil rise or fall in accordance with the worldwide rate of inflation, as indicated by the world market prices of some 30 other major commodities. Up to now, the United States and other major industrial nations have resisted the proposal.

The shah said in Washington Sunday that the members of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries probably will raise prices in September to keep up with the rising prices of what they buy.

The shah said the oil countries have lost 35 per cent of their purchasing power because of world inflation, the shaky world monetary situation and the dollar's loss of purchasing power.

$27 million paid out

JEFFERSON CITY — More than $27 million in unemployment compensation benefits was distributed statewide during April under state and federal programs, Murl Nash, informational supervisor of the state Division of Employment Security, has announced.

In the four-county area of Mississippi, New Madrid, Scott and Stoddard counties, a total of $439,863 in benefits was distributed, compared to $118,732 distributed during the same time in 1974.

Nash said the reason for the sharp increase in payments from last year is due to the fact that federal programs are included in the data now and previously were not. Of the more than $27 million distributed statewide, he said almost $22 million was paid through the regular state programs.

The April total is four per cent less than the March total, and only 130,000 workers filed for unemployment insurance benefits during April, compared to 145,000 during March.

The average weekly benefit payment during April was $55.76.

In Scott County during April, $78,174 in regular state payments were made. Extended benefits (EB), paid to workers whose regular benefits had run out, amounted to $8,337; in the special unemployment assistance (SUA) program, $8,103 were paid; and in the federaal supplemental benefit (FSB) program, $1,709 was paid.

The SUA and FSB programs are totally financed by the federal government and the EB program is funded 50 per cent by the federal government.

The most regular state payments made in the four-county area during April was in StoddardCounty. There $138.161 in regular payments was issued, plus $9,634 in EB payments, $16,897 in SUA payments and $1,105 in FSB payments.

In New Madrid County, $32,904 in regular state payments was distributed, along with $5,462 in the EB program, $40,088 in SUA payments and $1,152 in FSB payments.

In Mississippi County, $74,014 in regular payments was made, $5,164 was expended in the EB program, $18,389 in the SUA program and $660 in the FSB program.

Stoddard County received the greatest number of total benefits in April -- $165,707, counting both state and federal programs. Mississippi County received a total of $98,227; Scott County received $967,323; and New Madrid County's total was $79,606.

In other Southeast Missouri offices during April, Cape Girardeau issued $497,447 in payments; Caruthersville, $181,612; Kennett, $315,820; and Poplar Bluff, $422,283.

Student wins award

Galen Kruger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Galen Kruger, 401 Malcolm St., won The National Observer Student Achievement Award at Sikeston High School.

The award consists of a specially designed certificate and a year's subscription to The National Observer. The social science department at Sikeston High School made the selection, according to Charles R. Depro, social science chairman.

Kruger, a senior, received the award Friday at the annual honors assembly for the school. He was also named the top French student and is a member of the golf team.

Barbs

By PHIL PASTORET

Washington gurus APPARENTLY believe that "credibility" indicates what THEY believe the rest of us will swallow.

Everything rosy turned out Red

By RONALD REAGAN
Copley News Service

When the Socialists came out ahead in Portugal elections, many in the West breathed a sigh of relief that the "moderates" had won. Everything seemed rosy, but it's turned out rosy Red.

The Communist Party ran a poor third -- about 12 per cent of the vote-- behind the Socialist and the Popular Democratic Party (PDP), but all are essentially different denominations of the same religion -- socialism. The young officers of the ruling Armed Forces Movement (AFM) had already outlawed the potentially most effective centrists and conservatives (and a few Maoists).

The AFM allowed the election to take place only after extracting promises from the remaining parties to abide by its forthcoming constitution, and to enforce AFM rules for at least five years. In other words, the AFM made sure the election would be meaningless. It was, instead, a sort of pacifier for the people; a nationwide public opinion poll. No doubt some supportsers of the banned center-to-right parties voted for the Socialists or the PDP over the Communists on the grounds they were "least worst."

The Soviet Union has been pouring an estimated $10 million a month into Portugal to support its small but well-organized Communist Party. With this horn of plenty the Communists hired brigades of street fighters to intimidate non-Communist voters and break up their rallies and meetings.

The Soviet investment is paying off: The Communist Party has gained control of the press and the labor union movement -- classic Red strategy.

As if to further nullify the election (the results of which they must surely have been able to predict) the Soviets have had their local party sonorously warn the Socialists to heed the word of the AFM. The AFM, in turn,they hope to dominate from within, using their supporters among its 200 or so members as stalking horses.

Recently in London, one well-placed observer of the Portuguese scene told me that the NATO nations should encourage the more moderate members of the AFM to assert themselves. Give them a chance to let democracy flower, he seemed to be saying, it's been a long time coming. But, it's probably too late.

Already, the banks and insurance companies have been nationalized and more businesses are likely to follow. The United States has been told its base in the Azores may not be used to resupply the Israelis in the event of Mideast conflict. The Soviets have gained permission for their "fishing trawler" fleet to use a Madeira seaport. Can Soviet naval base rights be far behind?

Perhaps all this is part of a national intoxication following last year's coup against the decade-old dictatorship, but the Portuguese seem to be heading, perhaps unwittingly, toward another one -- a Red one.

Looking ahead, two likely scenarios add up to a bad news-bad news version of the good news-bad news story.In one, the USSR does a Czechoslovakia-type takeover, through subversion, to make Portugal a satellite.

That would be bad, but the second scenario is even worse, and current evidence suggests it's the more probable one. In it, Portugal remains ostensibly independent, with a left-wing military dictatorship, but with the USSR acting as stage manager. Communists already hold several key government posts. On stage, Portugal, appearing independent, would remain in NATO -- our first line of defense -- but in reality an ally not of the West but of the USSR.

This would have a profound effect among NATO allies. Italy is shaking already, with a large, powerful Communist Party. Spain would face the prospect of internal strife with guerrillas infiltrating from Portugal.

Meanwhile, the United States does nothing to encourage the majority of Portuguese who don't want to be Communists. Indeed, the climate in the United States seemsto be dominated by "liberals" who find American support of right-wing dictators intolerable but have yet to utter a peep about the left-wing military dictators in Portugal.

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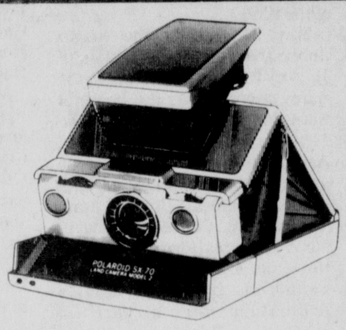
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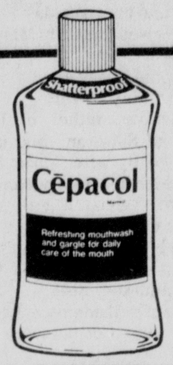
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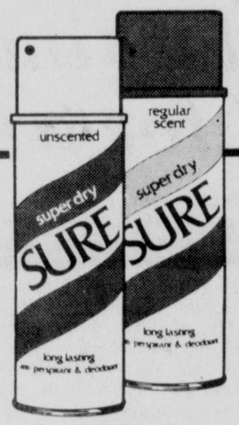
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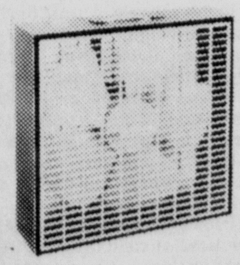
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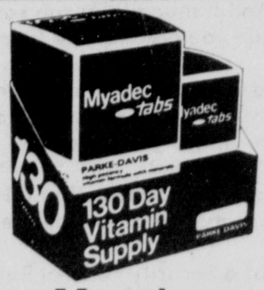
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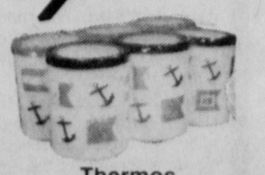
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What's the law?

The case of the ungodly couple

By JACK STRAUSS, LL.B.

Bert and Bonnie were so far removed from religion that they didn't even know what church they were staying away from. Consequently, when they decided to adopt a child and filed the appropriate papers in court for that purpose, they encountered a problem.

Not belonging to a church and not believing in a Supreme Being, they had no invisible means of support. This presented an impediment to the adoption.

"Church affiliations," Bert was told, "indicate a person's good moral fitness to rear a child. And a lack of such affiliation indicates the contrary. What's more, atheism has no future.

"I don't have to go to church to hear a moralogue," was Bert's answer. "While others may believe in God, I believe in me. I'm kind, considerate, hard working and a good guy. That should be sufficient."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you permit the ungodly couple to adopt a child?

This is how the judge ruled: YES! The judge held that adoptions are granted when they are in the best interests of the child involved. And while sincere belief in a religion may be indicative of the moral fitness of those seeking to adopt, an adoption cannot be denied just because the prospective adoptive parents do not profess a religion or a belief in a Supreme Being.

In such a case, conclude the judge, the court must resolve the question of fitness by probing the moral character of the prospective parents aside from religion and, if all is satisfactory, the adoption must be granted.

(Based upon a 1971 New Jersey Supreme Court Decision.)

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Looking back

New plant spurs town

50 Years Ago
May 17, 1925

When the Presbyterian congragation met last Friday, the finance and building committees reported favorably, announcing that the dedicatory ground-breaking services would be held this Friday on the church lot and building will start immediately. The new church is to be located on the corner of Matthews and East streets, fronts on Matthews.

Sikeston High School won signal honors in the Scott County tennis tournament Friday at Benton when both the boys and girls won the silver cups offered in the double matches and Vernon Skillman won a medal in the boys' singles. The girls' team consisted of Elizabeth Stallcup and Ruby Richards and the boys' of Lynn Smith and Vernon Skillman.

If anyone thinks Sikeston is not on the upgrade, just let them walk east from Kingshighway through the new Shoe Factory Addition. On this one street 35 new houses have been built since the completion of the factory. Other streets have shown just such a growth.

Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards are the proud parents of a baby girl born to them on May 7. Mrs. Edwards was formerly Miss Leo Watkins of this city.

40 Years Ago
May 17, 1935

A. Graber, father of Louis Graber of Sikeston, died in St. Louis shortly after noon Monday. He contracted pneumonia after undergoing a gall stone operation.

Malone Theatre, today, "The Wedding Night" with Gary Cooper and Anna Sten.

Graham's Academy of Beauty Culture and Cosmotology will open June 1, Sam Graham owner and manager, announced Tuesday. He will operate same in the east room of the McCoy-Tanner building's first floor, formerly occupied by the postoffice.

Programs for the baccalaureate services Sunday and for commencement Monday were announced Wednesday by Superintendent R. V. Ellise. Both exercises will be held in the high school auditorium. Seniors are: Frank Altom, Ramon Bandy, Junior Barger, Chester Conrad, Billy Bob Donnell, Murray Lynn Farris, Basel Hessling, Fred Jones, jr., Paul Jones.

Venson Jones, Het Lambert, James Lambert, John Layton, Charles McMullin, Clem Marshall, Tris Marshall, Glenn Matthews, jr., Joe Matthews, jr., Don Robinson, Marion Thrower, John Louis Wilson, and Gust Zacher. Evelyn Allard, Doris Mydland, Alma Branum, Rachel Ruth Branum, LaVerne Canoy, Gayle Collins and Louise Davis.

Lillian Rita Derris, Margaret Fisher, Louise Gardner, Alleane Garrison, Pauline Husher, Helen Johnson, Adele Love, Mary Emma Powell, Mildred Rushing, Mary Margaret Russell, Mary Ethel Smith, Louis Ellen Tanner, Dorothy Lee Waller, Wantona Watson, Mildred Williams, and Pauline Young.

30 Years Ago
May 17, 1945

Mrs. Teressa Raynolds, Cape Girardeau, died of a complication of ailments Tuesday. She had been in ill health for some time and was taken to the hospital about three weeks ago. She was the mother of Mrs. Harry C. Young, jr., who is residing here for the duration.

Mr. and Mrs. Early Caldwell, who had resided on a farm at Pleasant Valley near Morley, moved to Sikeston Tuesday.

Hospital notes. Mrs. Ralph Dalton of Smith Addition, entered the hospital on the 14th and a son was born on the 15th.

Mrs. Elmer Kernell, Route 1, entered on the 15th and a daughter was born to her yesterday.

Mrs. William Woods of Bertrand entered on the 15th and a daughter was born to her on the same day.

Farrenburg - Eighty-one persons attended the Mothers Day program sponsored by the Sunday School.

20 Years Ago
May 17, 1955

Mrs. Charles Barnett was elected 1955-56 Regent of Kings Highway Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution at the monthly meeting Saturday at the home of Mrs. Robert Lillard.

Sikeston's Bulldogs, who came from behind to win two games in the sub-district tourney here two weeks ago, once again overcame a deficit to wrap up the district baseball championship at VFW Memorial Park Monday, when they took the Doniphan Dons, 5-3, in eight innings. Runs were scored by Carmody, Hulehan, Bennett, Dyer, and Jines.

Bell City -- Funeral services for Donald R. Thrower, 31, who was found dead on the Cotton Belt railrad tracks here Tuesday, were conducted this afternoon.

Charleston -- Funeral services for Will Carmen, 72, a retired farmer, who died Tuesday at a Cairo, Ill., hopsital, were held this afternoon.

Looking back

Local man is a hero

50 years ago
May 19, 1925

Morehouse--Miss Marie Sexton of Cape Girardeau spent the weekend here visiting Miss Arlene Sullivan.

Tickets to the senior class play, "Seventeen," which is to be shown at the new auditorium next Wednesday, have been placed on sale at The Bijou. Cast members include: Doris Gilbert, Will Hayden, Donald Story, Mort Griffith, Alfreda Baty, Fannye Becker, Ruby Richards, Louis Moles, James Howell, Eugene Potashnick, Donald Milem, Kathryn Hanner, John Houchens, and Lucille Mount.

O. W. McCutchen bought The Grand Theatre Tuesday, thereby adding another moving picture house to his chain of six in this section.

The Rev. John Kerr of the Presbyterian Church at Farmington will be the chief speaker at the ground-breaking service of the local Presbyterians Friday. The exercises will be held at the church lot on Matthews street.

40 years ago
May 19, 1935

Miss Louise Davis was chosen Wednesday to represent Sikeston at the Mardi Gras beauty contest in Poplar Bluff on May 25. Selection of Miss Davis was made by delegates of four civic organizations, who were chosen by club presidents.

Mrs. Susan Crites, mother of Christian Crites of Sikeston, died Monday at the home of a son, Ferdinand Crites, near Patton. She died of paralysis after an illness of three weeks.

Peter Belkin of Fredericktown, brother of Mrs. Barney Wagner of Sikeston, died of pneumonia shortly after midnight Monday.

Morehouse--Miss Margaret Patterson of Carrollton is visiting her mother, Mrs. Maude Patterson.

30 years ago
May 19, 1945

A son was born to Major and Mrs. R. L. Andres Monday at Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape. The child has been given the name of Robert L. Jr., and is their first child. Mrs. Andres is the former Miss Nina Vern Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmos Taylor.

Howard F. Kramer, who is stationed at Okinawa, has been promoted to first lieutenant, according to information received by his wife, who resides here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gray.

Lt. Charles Tanner, son of Mrs. Sayers W. Tanner, 404 Tanner Street, is one of the chief heros of the war in the Pacific, according to dispatches, released to the Associated Press, and radio broadcaasts made over national radio hookups Sunday.

The story of his rescue feat was broadcast several times yesterday over different radio stations. It seems that two American flyers were shot down about a mile off shore during the strike on Kyushu in the Japanese inland sea May 14 right under the nose of the Emperer. They were floating around in rubber rafts under heavy gunfire when Lt. Tanner in a seaplane made a water landing and picked up both of them. He was under terrific gunfire and in great danger all of the time.

May 24 will be the fourth anniversary of the dedication of Harvey Parks Airport, which for many months was the home of Sikeston's air school, the Missouri Institute of Aeronautics. On May 24, four years ago, two Sikeston high school seniors, Betty Jane Taylor and Colleen Rayburn, stood on a platform in front of the cafeteria building and unveiled a plaque officially dedicating the airport in memory of Harvey A. Park's longtrime air instructor and brother of Oliver Parks, president of the Missouri Institute of Aeronautics.

20 years ago
May 19, 1955

Charleston--Mrs. Katherine Jennings Rushing, 24, a former resident here, died Tuesday enroute to a St. Louis hospital after she had been rushed there because of a heart ailment.

Miss Pansy Alexander and Gerald Inman have chosen May 29 as the date for their wedding, which will be performed at the Methodist Church by the Rev. M.G. Joyce. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Inman will serve as attendants.

Sikeston's try for the Southeast Missouri Baseball Conference championship was thwarted for the second straight year at Cape Girardeau Tuesday when Central took the Bulldogs 2-1. Moore scored the only run for Sikeston.

A group of children received their first communion last Sunday at St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church. They were: Beth Mayfield, Darlene Donner, Linda Wallace, Patricia Lewis, Sandra Kay Ryan, Sherry York, John Gaither, Beth Leible, Linda Faye Schaeffer, Sally Ann Gladney, Judy Ferguson, Susie Ernst, Jane Childs, Paul Miederhoff, Ronnie Grojean, Julian Hann, Danny Kern, David Synder, Kenny Fama, Scottie Farris, Steve Paul Bowman, Robert Fuchs, Kenny Paylor, Garry Lee Vinson, Garry Raidt, Ross Millburn, and Larry Balicki.

Morehouse--Valedictorian of the 1955 Morehouse High School graduating class was Billie Crumpecker, daughter of Mrs. Gladys Crumpecker; and salutatorian was Bill Salings, son of Mr. and Mrs. Connard Salings.

Portageville--William J. White, 73, retired farmer, died at his home here today of a heart condition for which he had been under treatment for some time.

ANNOUNCING A RETIREMENT PLAN
AND A TAX BREAK FOR PEOPLE
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TWO GREAT TAX FREE RETIREMENT PLANS

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SELF-EMPLOYED PLAN

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Here's How to Deduct $7,500 FROM
Your Taxable Income This Year
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A revised federal law now allows self employed persons to contribute up to $7,500 or 15 per cent (whichever is less) of their annual net earned income to their own retirement plan. Absolutely tax-free.

It's called the Keogh Plan. And it means you can save money on your 1975 tax return while you plan for the future.

Open a Retirement Plan and Trust Account at Security Federal before December 31, and you can still take advantage of this 1975 tax shelter on whatever funds you set aside.

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Federal Law now permits an individual who is not under an existing retirement plan to invest up to $1500 annually in a plan of his own absolutely tax free. If your wife also works she can invest up to $1500 annually giving you a joint deductionof $3000 tax free. Even if you don't itemize deductions you can take an IRA (Individual Retirement Account) deduction and still claim the "standard" deduction.

Start now to build for your future and provide yourself with a good retirement income to supplement social security or any other retirement benefits.

Write or call us today (471-2841) for more information about an Individual Retirement Account.

*ATTEND OUR SELF-EMPLOYED RETIREMENT PLAN AND OUR INDIVIDUAL RETIREMENT PLAN SEMINAR TO BE HELD ON MAY 22, 1975, AT 7:00 P.M. AT SECURITY FEDERAL'S COMMUNITY ROOM AT 820 NORTH MAIN STREET, SIKESTON, MISSOURI.

Pease send me further information on one of these TAX FREE Retirement Plans;
☐ Self Employment Retirement Plan ☐ Individual Retirement Plan
NAME_____ADDRESS_____
PHONE NUMBER_____
Madil to; Security Federal Savings and Loan Association; Box 1007, Sikeston, Mo.
Phone: 471-2841

SECURITY FEDERAL
SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOC.
820 N. MAIN 471-2841 SIKESTON, MO.

Medic alert importance stressed for travelers

TURLOCK, Calif. — It was the same old story for traveler Donald Lewis. His peaceful sumber was broken by the highway patrol. Another drunk? No, the cautious Lewis was parked by the highway, sleeping off the effects of medication he takes for a nervous disorder. But try convincing an officer when the symptoms are similar to inebriation.

"At the station house," Lewis wrote to Medic Alert, "the police gave me tests to see if I had been drinking. I blew up more balloons than a clown at a circus and took so many blood tests I thought I was a blood bank. Of course, the results were negative."

A doctor then told Lewis to get a Medic Alert emblem. Now he goes about his business, crisscrossing the country with no side trips to the police station.

"Better yet," adds Lewis who is highly allergic to penicillin, "I have been in three foreign countries where I was ill and Medic Alert helped me. Twice in Mexico and once in the Bahamas, it prevented penicillin injections. In Canada, medicine for my nervous disorder was provided while my doctor was contacted."

People with hidden or special medical problems have a definite need for emergency medical identification, a requirement that becomes especially urgent for travelers.

The Medic Alert system of protection provides an alerting device in the form of a bracelet or necklace, which is designed to relay quickly a vital message.

In an emergency, an individual's medical secrets can complicate -- and sometimes defeat -- rescue efforts of doctors who have no contact with the patient's family or personal physician and who have no way of knowing the hidden medical problem or problems. These problems include diabetics, heart conditions or epilepsy involving individuals taking life-sustaining medications and people with allergies to medications that could prove fatal if administered.

Medic Alert Foundation International, a nonprofit organization, provides and emergency medical information system designed to meet this need. Worn on the wrist or around the neck, the Medic Alert emblem communicates hidden medical situations to emergency personnel when the patient cannot.

"Medic Alert" and the internationally recognized caduceus are emblazoned in red on the outer side of the emblem. On the reverse side are the members's hidden medical problem, his file number and an emergency telephone number at Medic Alert headquarters to call for further information. Within 30 seconds of receiving a collect call from emergency personnel, Medic Alert relays vital information that can help further to save a member's life.

There are 15 Medic Alert affiliates in other countries and the emblem is recognized in every part of the world. In addition, the foundation is endorsed by numerous medical organizations, such as the American Academy of Family Physicians, American Nurses Association and American Diabetes Association.

Today, there are over 550,000 Medic Alert members. However, the American Medical Association estimates one out of every five, or an additional 40 million Americans could benefit by wearing the lifeguarding emblem.

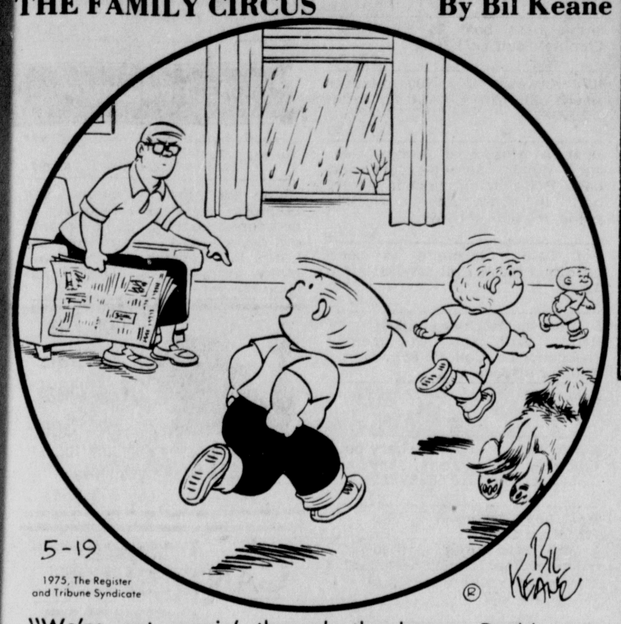
MALL CINEMA SIKESTON
KINGSWAY PLAZA CENTER 471-0566
7:30 NIGHTLY
BARBRA STREISAND RYAN O'NEAL "WHAT'S UP, DOC?"

MALONE
107 W MALONE 471-43
7:00 NIGHTLY NDS WED
"BLOOD CREATURE" PLUS
willy's gone
for a moment he was free
RATED R
COLOR BY MOVIELAB

MALCO TWIN 1
MID-TOWNER CENTER
NOW 7:30 NIGHTLY
BURT REYNOLDS AS GATOR IN "WHITE LIGHTNING"
PG

MALCO TWIN 2
471-8420
NOW 7:30
FUN'N GAMES and the GIGGLES ARE GUARANTEED!
HE WANTS AND SHE WANTS BUT . . .
NOT NOW DARLING!
IN BODLEY'S FUR STORE, THE FUR REALLY FLIES . . . WITH LAUGHS!
STARRING LESLIE PHILLIPS • JULIE EGE • RAY COONEY AS CROTCH • SCREENPLAY BY JOHN CHAPMAN
PRODUCED BY PETER J. THOMPSON & MARTIN C. SCHUTE • DIRECTED BY DAVID CROFT &
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TUESDAY IS BARGAIN NIGHT
AT ALL
THEATRES
ADULTS $1.25

THE FAMILY CIRCUS By Bil Keane



"We're not runnin' through the house, Daddy — we're JOGGIN'!"



"How come the only letters that arrive on time are the ones that start with 'unless. . .'?"



"You were all born in Mercy Hospital except Willis, and he was born in our 1968 Chevvy!"

STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Tuesday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 Go	31 Mood	61 Plans
2 More	32 Ideas	62 Vigorously
3 Fine	33 Those	63 On
4 A	34 People	64 To
5 Take	35 Push	65 Important
6 Nothing	36 Are	66 Matters
7 Successful	37 To	67 Time
8 For	38 That	68 Peace
9 For	39 Your	69 Today
10 Entertaining	40 Please	70 Out
11 Than	41 Oppose	71 As
12 Try	42 Superiors	72 Gamble
13 Give	43 You're	73 Be
14 You'll	44 Free	74 Indicated
15 Be	45 Or	75 Plans
16 To	46 Your	76 Daydream
17 Prepared	47 Achieve	77 Unreliable
18 Cheer	48 To	78 Today
19 Be	49 Down	79 Made
20 Finish	50 With	80 And
21 Don't	51 Likely	81 Reminisce
22 Granted	52 Officials	82 Sudden
23 Halfway	53 To	83 Opposite
24 And	54 Good	84 Their
25 Dancing	55 To	85 Sex
26 In	56 For	86 Earlier
27 Don't	57 Surprises	87 Luck
28 Being	58 Carry	88 Moves
29 Resent	59 Luck	89 Is
30 To	60 Such	90 Ripe

Good · Adverse · 5/20 Neutral

ARIES MAR. 21 – APR. 19
1- 2-11-23
37-47-68

TAURUS APR. 20 – MAY 20
35-39-54-59
62-67-89-90

GEMINI MAY 21 – JUNE 20
43-44-55-58
70-75-79-86

CANCER JUNE 21 – JULY 22
15-17-56-57
60-71-82-88

LEO JULY 23 – AUG. 22
21-29-32-38
41-46-61

VIRGO AUG. 23 – SEPT. 22
14-19-26-31
48-76-80-81

LIBRA SEPT. 23 – OCT. 22
4- 7-20-64
65-66-74

SCORPIO OCT. 23 – NOV. 21
13-18-30-33
49-63-84-87

SAGITTARIUS NOV. 22 – DEC. 21
3- 8-10-25
28-50-83-85

CAPRICORN DEC. 22 – JAN. 19
12-16-40-42
45-52-69

AQUARIUS JAN. 20 – FEB. 18
5- 6- 9-22
24-27-72

PISCES FEB. 19 – MAR. 20
34-36-51-53
73-77-78



"ALRIGHT, ALRIGHT, COME DOWN! I'LL HAVE A LIGHT INSTALLED IN YOUR DOGHOUSE!"

OUR BOARDING HOUSE with Major Hoople



OUT OUR WAY by Neg Cochran

Have Fun

Answer to Previous Puzzle

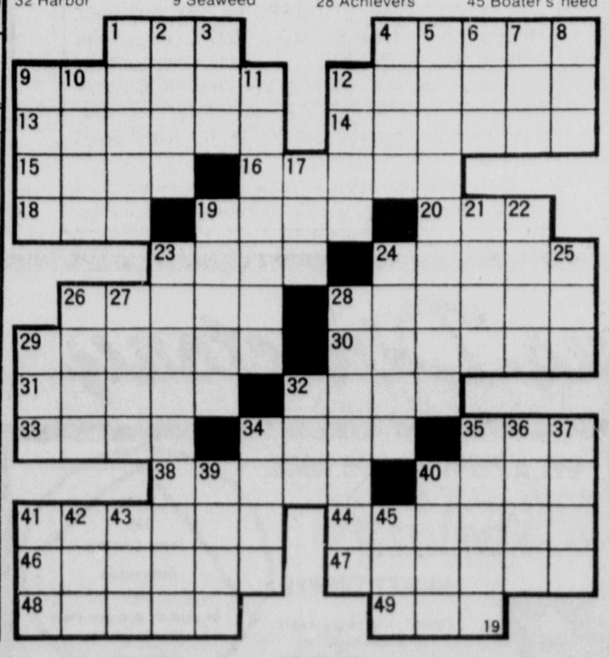
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ACROSS

1 Amusement
4 Forms of play
9 Greek market places
12 Winged fruit
13 Town in Italy
14 Escaped by cunning
15 Deities
16 Hollow places
18 Public notices (coll.)
19 Alcoholic beverage
20 Freudian term
23 Liquor made of honey
24 Facial expression
26 Bulge
28 Solid (comb. form)
29 Prizes
30 Chinese seaport
31 Dens
32 Harbor
33 Against
34 Remedy
35 Equal status
38 New England state
40 Constellation
41 Concealed
44 Laughed boisterously
46 Juicy fruit
47 French existentialist
48 —— Domingo
49 Beam of light

DOWN

1 Shallow places in streams
2 Noun suffixes
3 Burmese spirte
4 Strong wind
5 Fun
6 Insane
7 Before
8 Dejected
9 Seaweed
10 —— time
11 Informal gatherings
12 Wine delicacy (Fr.)
17 As well as
19 Unites closely
21 Encircled
22 Oil (comb. form)
23 Hilarity
24 Fixed look
25 Ages and ages
26 Lake bird
27 Stay in anticipation
28 Achievers
29 Winglike part
32 Play on words
34 Quote
35 Social event
36 State
37 Went on horseback
39 Jason's ship (myth.)
40 Brazilian estuary
41 Kind of lettuce
42 Mouthlike openings (anat.)
43 Mover's truck
45 Boater's need



Today in U.S. History

By The Associated Press

Today is Monday, May 19, the 139th day of 1975. There are 226 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1536, the second queen of England's King Henry VIII, Anne Boleyn, was beheaded in London.

On this date —

In 1588, the 130 ships of the Spanish Armada sailed from Lisbon, Portugal.

In 1795, the Baltimore philanthropist, John Hopkins, was born near Annapolis, Md.

In 1876, an exposition marking the American Centennial opened in Philadelphia.

In 1943, British Prime Minister Winston Church ll told the U.S. Congress that America had full British support in the war against Japan.

In 1945, more than 400 U.S. Superfortress bombers attacked Tokyo.

In 1964, the U.S. State Department disclosed that 40 secret microphones had been found hidden in the U.S. Embassy in Moscow.

Ten years ago: The two warring factions in a revolution in the Dominican Republic agreed to a 12-hour humanitarian truce to remove the dead and injured from battle areas in the capital of Santo Domingo.

Five years ago: Communist troops shelled more than 60 Allied positions in South Vietnam, marking the 80th birthday of Ho Chi Minh.

One year ago: Finance Minister Valery Giscard d'Estaing was elected President of France.

Today's birthday: Labor arbitrator Theodore Kheel is 61.

Thought for today: Of all the things you wear, your expression is the most important. — John Ruskin, English writer and art critic, 1819-1900.

They'll Do It Every Time



STEVE CANYON By Milton Caniff



CAPTAIN EASY By Crooks & Lawrence



MARY WORTH By Saunders and Ernst



PEANUTS By Schulz



ALLEY OOP By Grave



THE PHANTOM By Falk & Berry



THE RYATTS By Jack Elrod



BEETLE BAILEY By Mort Walker



Letters to the Editor

A Letter to The Citizens of Portageville.

As your alderman for the past year, I promised to work with the city officials and citizens of our great city to the best interest of all persons concerned, regardless of race, creed or color, to the best of my ability and show no partiality.

I try to spend you tax money as wisely and in the bestinterest of our city. I believe in making our city a safer place to live by checking trees on the streets that is dangerous to the general public and dark intersections where you can't see oncoming traffic, as well as dead trees, dangerous to the public.

I have had a lot of good and bad criticism, most of it good. When I receive a complaint, I check it ou immediately, day or night. I can't satisfy everyone but as your alderman, I do the best I can, because that's what you elected me to do. I've worked closely with the police department and street department to search out and correct dangerous intersections. We have some faithful city employees who are doing their best to make this a better city.

I have tried to get a 50 Dollar a month raise for the police department. They have not had a raise in two years. They get 440 Dollars a Month, and have to buy their own uniforms. We know the cost of living has gone up, but every time I bring this up, the City Board votes me down.

I have been informed by the City Clerk that the city doesn't have the money. In the last few months we have had employees who did get raises, and we have two employeees, who have been with our city for a number of years and are retiring. The board has agreed to continue their salary for six months after they retire. They didn't ask for this. One salary is a Thousand Dollas a month, the other 175 Dollars. The board says this is a token for their past faithful work. But we had an employee who worked faithfull for several years and did a good job, but he didn't get two weeks pay when had to quit. He is now working nowhere because of total disability, living on disability and social security. I can't understand the fairness of your tax dollars being spent this way.

I am the first to agree that our city employees should have a retirement plan,so they can be paid when they can no longer work.

We have two city employees ho have just resigned. One has been a faithful employee for five years, the other for one year, because they couldn't get a raise.

Ever since I have been your alderman, I have taken it upon myself, with the cooperation of the Police department to correct the dog sitation, which is a very big problem. I have had no help from the other aldermen.

I have no ill feelings toward anyone, and I am still going to work for the best interests of the city and tax payer, the mayor and the aldermen.

If you find anything in this letter, that is in error, I will apologize.

I think that if the public knows the situation, the Police will get a raise.

Respectfully,
Pete Clay,
Alderman Ward II

A MYSTERY SWEET RECIPE

A grain of sugar,
A pint of spice.
And everything else,
You can think of that's nice.
Mix together with Love and Care,
And all the nice things,
that you share.
Then add a dash of sunshine
To make everything just right.
Bake at temperature of 10 degrees Fairenheight.
Let it bake for 3 hours or so
Bring it out of the oven and what do you know.
An instant Mother,
To love and to hold.
by
Karen Michelle Merideth

"BECAUSE THE PEOPLE MUST KNOW"

NOTICE OF FILING OF FINAL SETTLEMENT AND PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION
(Sec. 473.587, RSMo.)

STATE OF MISSOURI,)
SS.)
COUNTY OF SCOTT)

d IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI AT BENTON, MISSOURI

In the estate of)
LOUIS JEWEL BLALACK,)
deceased.)
Estate No. 4415

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF LOUIS JEWEL BLALACK, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that a final settlement and petition for determination of the persons who are the successors in interst to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein and for distribution of such property, will be filed in the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri by the undersigned on the 6th day of June, 1975 or as continued by the court, and that any objections or exceptions to such settlement or petition or any item thereof must be in writing and filed within ten eays after the filing of such settlement.

Kenneth L. Dement
Attorney
310 W. North,
Sikeston, Missouri
314 471-1833

Jessie Odell Blalack
Executrix
RFD 4,
Sikeston, Missouri
314 471-0149

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NOT RESPONSIBLE LEGAL

I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by anyone other than myself as of this date, May 19, 1975.

Barry R. Hill
414 West Gladys
Sikeston, Mo.

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NOTICE OF LETTERS TESTAMENTARY GRANTED
(Sec. 473.033, RSMo. as amended 1969.)

STATE OF MISSOURI)
SS.)
COUNTY OF SCOTT)
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, Missouri at BENTON, MISSOURI

In the estate of)
Frances L. Stallcup)
deceased.)

Estate No. 4495

To all persons interested in the estate of Frances L. Stallcup, decedent:

On the 15th day of May, 1975, the last Will of Frances L. Stallcup was admitted to probate and David E. Blanton was appointed the executor of the estate of Frances L. Stallcup decedent, by the probate court of Scott, County, Missouri, on the 15th day of May, 1975. The business address of the executor is 219 South Kingshighway, Sikeston, Missouri whose telephone number is 471-1000 and his attorneys are Blanton, Blanton, Rice and Sickal, whose business address is 219 South Kingshighway, Sikeston, Missouri, and whose telephone number is 471-1000.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of this notice or be forever barred.

All persons interested are notified that such court, at the times and as provided by law, will determine the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein.

Date of first publication is May 19th, 1975.

(SEAL) Almaretta Huber
Clerk
Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri

To be published in the Daily Sikeston Standard

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NOTICE OF LETTERS TESTAMENTARY GRANTED
(Sec. 473.033, RSMo. as amended 1969.)

STATE OF MISSOURI)
SS.)
COUNTY OF SCOTT)
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI AT BENTON, MISSOURI

In the estate of)
Lotus Walker Emerson)
deceased.)
Estate No. 4472

To all persons interested in the estate of Lotus Walker Emerson, decedent:

On the 23rd day of April, 1975, the last Will of Lotus Walker Emerson was admitted to probate and Ruby Walker Eimer was appointed the executrix of the estate of Lotus Walker Emerson decedent, by the probate court of Scott, County, Missouri, on the 23rd day of April, 1975. The business address of the executrix is 3863 West Pine, Apt. 609, St. Louis, Missouri whose telephone number is 535-2588 and her attorney is Robert A. Dempster of Dempster, Yokley and Fuchs whose business address is 215 North Stoddard, Sikeston, Missouri, and whose telephone number is 471-3210.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of this notice or be forever barred.

All persons interested are notified that such court, at the times and as provided by law, will determine the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein.

Date of first publication is April 25th, 1975.

(SEAL) Almaretta Huber
Clerk
Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri

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2. Card of Thanks

Our deepest and most sincere appreciation to each of you who helped many ways during the loss of our loved one Julia Morgan. Our gratitude to the staff of the Shelby Funeral Home. Brother Harrison Brack, May Dale Sater, organist, Fayette Marshall Family Singers, and to her nephews, the pall bearers. To all who brought food and flowers and especiall those who remembered us in prayer. Our sorrow was made easier to bare through the support and love of each of you.

The family of Julia Morgan

5-19-75

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING SECTION RATES

Minimum three day run. Cash discount of 50c if paid within four days after insertion date.

Ads run on Tuesday will be inserted in Shopper Topper at an additional one day charge.

DEADLINE

Ads to be taken out of next days publication must be called in by 4 p.m. the day before. Copy must be suemitted by 4 p.m. the day before publication. Monday through Thursday, 11 a.m.. Friday deadline.

ERRORS

We must be notified the first day of publication of errors, after that you will be charged.

Ads willbe taken from 9 to 12 on Saturday.

6. Sleeping Rooms

Sleeping room for rent. Private bath. Call 471-7518.

5-20-75

7. Apartments - Furn.

Furnished apartments, utilities paid. Adults. 471-9942.

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Furnished apartment for rent with utilities paid. Call 472-0854 or 471-5470.

Two bedroom furnished apartment, carpeted, adults only. No pets, $150 month without utilities. 472-0764.

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Three room furnished apartment. 471-2772.

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2 room furnished, air conditioned, apartment. Adults. 471-2377.

5-19-75

2 room apartment. Comfortably furnished air conditioned. Call 471-5297.

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Small cottage. No children. No pets. 471-8861.

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9. House For Rent

For Rent: 2 bedroom furnished house. 471-9942.

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Cottage: Professional or retired person. Deposit, air 471-1804.

TF

House for rent: Nice 2 bedroom house, bath with showe, carpeting except bedroom, half basement washer-dryer hookup, garage. Couple preferred. No pets. $125.00 month. 471-5585.

TF

For Rent: 4 room unfurnished house, 471-1410. 409 School. Adults.

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11. Misc. For Rent

Choice Office Space for Rent 124 E. Center St.
Jim Beaird or Jim Smith
471-2841

2000 square foot warehouse space. Could be adapted for a shop. 471-5583.

11A. Mobile Homes For Rent

Mobile home for rent. 471-3450.

TF

1974 12x65 2 bedroom fully carpeted, central heat and air. $175.00 month. Call after 6. 471-9617.

4-29-75

2 bedroom mobile home. 471-0830.

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12A Musical Instru.

Piano tuning and repair. Morgan Music, 472-0757

Electronic Organ Repair, all makes
Morgan Music
472-0757

PIANOS AND ORGANS. Baldwin and Wurlitzer. Finest quality at reasonable prices and terms. Rental plan available. Keith Collins Piano Company, 98 North Kingshighway. Phone 471-4531.

12a 9-24-tf

Wurlitzer piano. Pecan Like new. $800.00. 471-1327.

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12. Misc. For Sale

LOOK!

USED OFFICE FURNITURE WE HAVE DESKS, CHAIRS, FILES, BOOK-CASES, CREDENZAS.

Also Hat racks while they last.

$5

QUALITY IS WHAT COUNTS

OFMCO
1209 W. NORTH ST.
471-7045

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BOOK AND MORE STORE
HIGHWAY 61 SOUTH IN ST. JUDE TRAILOR PARK BETWEEN LILBOURN & MARSTON.
ALL TYPES OF BOOKS. MAGAZINES. COMICS. ETC.
½ PRICE
WE SELL AND SWAP
688-9794

Tell City Furniture - America's finest in early American solid maple. Economy Furniture, 209 W. Commercial, Charleston, 683-6733.

TF.

Forklifts for sale or rent. 471-5812, Mike Eakins.

Gemini 50 mini bike, $225. 471-7870.

TF

For sale Several used typewriters $75.00 each. May be seen at Daily Standard 205 S. New Madrid St.

TF

For Sale: Alumni Addition Deluxe Harvard Classic numbered set 477 50 volumn. Excellent condition. $50. Call 876456 or 887-3226. Chaffee.

4-29-75

For Sale: Twin head ice cream machine. Multi head shake machine syrup dispensers. Cash or will trade for late model pickup truck. 618-748-9898. Dovers Green Door, Mound City, Ill.

5-19-75

Good used TV's for sale. B & W and color Charles TV Service 317 W. Malone or phone 471-0586.

5-30-75

18 H. Glassparr W. H.D. Trailer. 120 H.P. I.O. $1250.00. Bobs Salvage, West Malone-471-3588

TF

1970 Kawasakaki 500 cc Low mileage, good condition, and reasonably, priced. Call 314-887-3674.

5-20-75

For Sale: Girls formals. Size range from 5 to 9. Price range from $5.00 to $15.00. Call 471-5221 after 5:30

TF

Cloth, stuffed hens for sale. $5.00. Call 471-1435.

5-20-75

For Sale: Camper top for L.W.B. Good condition. $125.00. 283-5916

5-20-75

1973 Hodaka 100 Trailbike. 471-3685.

5-20-75

Sewing and furniture upholstering. 471-5470 472-0173

5-20-75

Flea Market
Scott City
Spaces
Fri. Sat. Sun.
264-4614

5-20-75

Strawberries
Pick your own starting Wed. May 14. Located 1 mile west of Hickory House, second black top go north ¼ mile Chism Orchard and Strawberries. Dexter, Mo. 624-2347

TF

For Sale: Super Pro. Bass boat, 74 model 243 5196 Jackson

5-20-75

1974 Honda CB 750. Low mileage. Like new Call 357-4526 Parma

5-19-75

Small bass boat 25 Evenrude. Complete outfit 471-8557.

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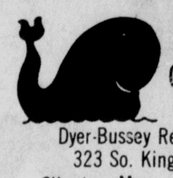
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13. Real Estate

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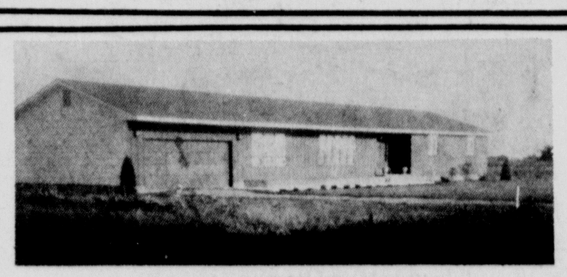
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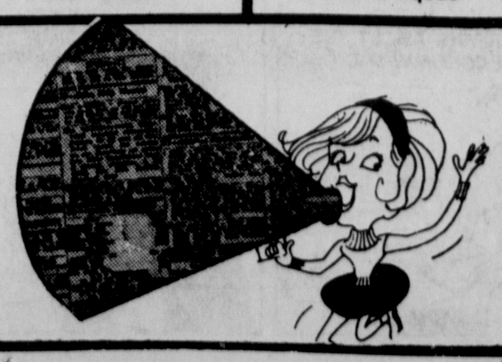
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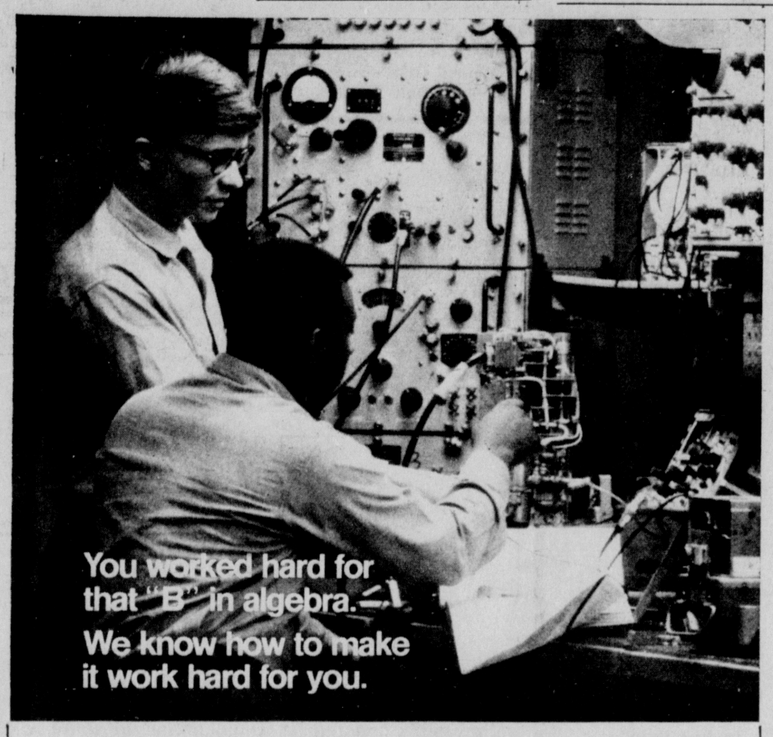


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PERIOD I. The following properties, insured and as-is are offered to owner-occupant purchasers only for a ten(10) calendar day period. All offers received for the same property within this period will be treated as simultaneous offers and processing priority will be accorded at the end of this period on the basis of highest offered above stated minimum acceptable prices. Properties offered as-is are denoted by "cash" in lieu of "Maximum Mortgage Amounts." Deadline for the submission of bids relating to the following group will be 4:30 P.M. MAY 23, 1975.

292-086131-235	210 Alabama x Sikeston	14,000	14,000 -1	161.	5-3-1	1000	Frame	0

PERIOD II. The following group of properties are offered on the same priority as for Period I properties except Period II properties are NOT limited to owner-purchasers. Bid submission deadline same as Period I.

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14. Situations Wanted

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5-20-75

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Yards to mow. 471-9745.

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Will babysit 7 days a week. 471-3871

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15. Wanted To Rent

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22. Instructions

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For Sale: Reynolds land plane. Excellent condition. See at farm near Kelly School. J. M. Wallace. Call Sam Kirk 545-3957.

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34. Mobile Homes

For Sale: 24x65 Mobile home. 3/8 acre land. Double carport, utility building. 471-8646 ater 6.

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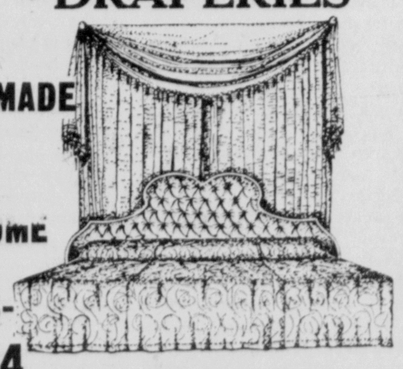
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Deaths

Homer C. Beck

Homer Clyde Beck, 85, of 126 School St., a retired farmer, died at 9:50 a.m. Sunday in the Host House at Charleston.

He was born April 18, 1890 at Eddyville, Ky.

He was a member of Murray Lane Baptist Church and the Sikeston Odd Fellows Lodge No. 358.

Survivors include one son, Phillip Beck of Oran; one daughter, Mrs. Lavada Yount of Sikeston; and six grandchildren.

Friends may call at Nunnelee Funeral Chapel, where Odd Fellow rites will be conducted at 7 p.m. today.

Services are scheduled at 11 a.m. Tuesday in the Nunnelee Chapel with the Rev. Wade Paris, pastor of Murray Lane Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial will follow in Garden of Memories cemetery.

Allen Harrison

Allen "Jack" Harrison, 58, of 207 S. Kingshighway died Saturday at St. Francis Hospital in Cape Girardeau.

He was born Jan. 20, 1917 to the late Robert L. and Ella P. Harrison.

He had been a salesman for Moorman Feed Co. for the last 10 years. Prior to that he was employed by the state weights and measures department.

Survivors include two brothers, Charles Harrison of Sikeston and Lyman Harrison of Benton; three sisters, Ruth and Mary Harrison of Sikeston and Mrs. Martha Harty of Jefferson City.

Services were conducted at 2 p.m. today in Welsh Funeral Home by the Rev. Otto Dvorak, pastor of First United Methodist Church.

Burial followed in the old city cemetery at Morley.

Pallbearers were Bob Harrison, Dick Harrison, Bob Harty, Dale Ham, Rick Adams and Harold Ragains.

Flora Wilmurth

EAST PRAIRIE — Flora Wilmurth, 82, died 11:30 p.m. Saturday in Missouri Delta Community Hospital at Sikeston following an extended illness.

She was born Sept. 5, 1892 in the Henson community to the late Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Wilson and had lived all her life in Mississippi County.

She had been active in Nelson Memorial United Methodist Church at East Prairie and First Baptist Church at Charleston.

Her first husband, John Edgar Lemons, died in 1927. In 1937, she married W. B. Wilmurth, who died in 1950. One son also preceded her in death.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Joseph Webb of East Prairie, and 10 grandchildren.

Services were conducted at 3 p.m. today in Shelby Funeral Home at Charleston by the Revs. John Hayes, pastor of the Nelson Memorial United Methodist Church, and Ted Wimberly, pastor of First Baptist at East Prairie.

Burial followed in IOOF Cemetery near Charleston.

S. L. Bridges

MALDEN — Spenser Lloyd Bridges, 64, a Federal Mogul Corp., employe died Saturday at his home.

He was born Aug. 15, 1910 in Wayne County.

On Aug. 23, 1969, he married Martha Brown, who survives.

Other survivors include one daughter, Bonnie Frances of Duren; one brother, Samuel Lloyd Bridges of Independence; and five grandchildren and six stepgrandchildren.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the Spooner-ville Missionary Baptist Church. The Rev's Terry Lynn Clark and Delmer McNeely will officiate.

Burial will follow in Memorial Park Cemetery with Landess Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Nevada Cantwell

EAST PRAIRIE — Services for Mrs. Nevada Cantwll, 86, of Leesburg, Fla., a former East Prairie resident who died Friday in Leesburg, were conducted at 1:30 p.m. Sunday in Shelby Funeral Home by Aubrey Wilson of East Prairie.

Burial followed in East Prairie Memorial Park Cemetery.

Born March 16, 1889 in Arkansas, she was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Russell and had lived in East Prairie most of her life.

She was a member of the Church of Christ.

In August, 1909, she married John C. Cantwell, who survives.

Also surviving are five daughters, Mrs. Irene Harris of Dade City, Fla., Mrs. Venita Cockman of Anderson, Ind., Mrs. Reba Story of Leesburg, Mrs. Fairy Brown of Mount Dora, Fla., and Dovie Bush of Salt Springs, Fla.; four sons, Carl Cantwell of Swartz Creek, Mich., General Cantwell of Cleveland, Tenn., John Cantwell of Columbus, Ga., and Lewis Cantwell of Palatka, Fla..; one brother, Will Russell of Arkansas; and 40 grandchildren and 52 great- grandchildren.

Melvin Limbaugh

Mrs. Melvin Bowman Limbaugh, 73, of 411 Tanner St., died at 2:15 a.m. Saturday in Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

She was born May 26, 1901 in Sikeston to the late William and Emma Bowman.

On April 5, 1925, she married the late Milem L. Limbaugh who preceded her in death June 16, 1964.

She was a member of Trinity Baptist Church and the Order of Eastern Star 137 of Sikeston.

Survivors include four brothers, Lee R. Bowman, Sam S. Bowman and Joe Bowman of Sikeston and W. C. "Bill" Bowman of Montgomery, La.; one sister, Mrs. L. P. (Mildred) Hulick of Pasadena, Calif.

Services were Sunday at 3 p.m. in Trinity Baptist Church with the Rev. Tom Geers, pastor of the church, officiating. Burial was in Memorial Park Cemetery with Welsh Funeral Home in charge.

Pallbearers were Van Strickland Jr., Ray Clinton, Jim Beaird, Glen Forbis, Rev. A. B. Ledbetter and Sam Harbin.

Clarence Kilmer

MALDEN — Clarence A. "Froggie" Kilmer, 46, an insurance agent and a member of the board of directors of First National Bank, died Saturday at Calhoun County Memorial Hospital in Bruce, Miss., of an apparent heart attack.

Born Jan. 29, 1929 at Morley, he was the son of the late Roy Raymond Kilmer and Mayme Harris Kilmer of Dexter.

He was a member of First Southern Baptist Church.

On Nov. 24, 1950, he married Joy Henderson, who survives.

Other survivors include four daughters, Karen Hoehn of Bowling Green, Ky., and Sharon, Judith and Joan Kilmer of the home, and one brother, Van H. Kilmer of Bloomfield.

Friends may call after 5 p.m. today at Landess Funeral Home, where services are scheduled at 10 a.m. Tuesday. The Rev. Don Cochran will officiate.

Burial will follow in Dexter Cemetery.

Bertie Sumpter

MALDEN — Bertie Minnie Sumpter, 87, a former school teacher, died Friday at Ridgeview Manor Nursing Home.

She was born June 12, 1887 in Wayne County to the late Peter and Lucinda Hovis Ward.

On Nov. 16, 1910, she married Frank Sumpter, who survives.

Other survivors include six daughters, Mr. Leo M. Corder of Malden, Mrs. R. H. Lamar of Gideon, Mrs. Russ Hamer of Fullerton, Calif., Mrs. Richard McCain Paducah, Ky., Mrs. Bob LaForce of Tustin, Calif., and Mrs. Gale Davis of Kennett; one sister, Mrs. Harvey Almond of Bellflower, Calif.; and several grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Services were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday in Landess Funeral Home by the Rev. Sterling Aubuchon.

Burial followed in Park Cemetery.

Joseph Stryker

PORTAGEVILLE — Joseph T. Stryker, 74, a retired contractor, died Saturday in St. Joseph Hospital at Memphis, Tenn., where he had been a patient for four weeks.

Born July 19, 1900 in Penn Yan, N.Y., he was the son of the late George Bailey and Mary Alice Townsend Stryker.

He had lived in Portageville for 32 years and was a fourth degree knight in the Knights of Columbus.

Survivors include three sisters, Margaret Barnett and Agnes and Alice Stryker of Memphis.

Friends may call at DeLisle Funeral Home, where a rosary will be recited at 7:30 p.m. today.

A funeral mass is scheduled at 10 a.m. Tuesday in St. Eustachius Catholic Church with the Rev. Amel Shibley officiating.

Graveside rites and burial will follow at 2:30 p.m. in Calvary Cemetery at Memphis, Tenn.

Michael Bivens

Michael Wayne Bivens, 17, of Route One, died Saturday from injuries received in an automobile accident five miles east of Puxico.

Born Aug. 8, 1957, he was the son of R. G. Bivens of Route One, and Marjorie McIntyre of Bell City. He was a member of the senior class at Scott Central High School.

Surviving other than his parents are one brother, Roy Glen Bivens of Bell City; two step-brothers, Burlie Wayne and Timothy Dan McIntyre of Oran; his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bivens of Vanduser; paternal great- grandmother, Lula C. Bivens of Holy Grove, Ark.; maternal grandparents, Jack Grisham of Rogersville, Okla. and Vernie Grisham of Florance, Ala.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. today at Scott Central High School Gymnasium with the Rev. Lloyd Boley of Bell City officiating.

Burial followed in the New Morley Cemetery.

Ruby Ausley

NEW MADRID — Mrs. Ruby A. Ausley, 63, died at 1 a.m. today at Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston, following a two-months illness.

Her husband, Lee Ausley preceded her in death.

Survivors include one son, Marvin Lee Ausley of Springfield, Ill.; one daughter, Betty Lou Norton of Clarkton; two brothers, Herschel Decker of Medord, Ore., and Virgil Decker of Sikeston; one sister, Mrs. Luther Dodd of Morehouse; and five grandchildren.

Friends may call after 10 a.m. Tuesday at Richard Funeral Home where arrangements are incomplete.

Esther Johnson

NORFOLK, Va. — Esther May Johnson, 93, formerly of Morehouse, Mo. died at midnight Sunday at Virginia Beach.

She was born May 31, 1881 in Hickory Grove to the late George and Viola Greene Johnson.

On Aug. 25, 1897 she married Lloyd Carter Johnson, who preceded her in death Feb. 10, 1936.

They had lived in Morehouse, Mo. for many years.

Survivors include three children, Tom Johnson of Jackson, Miss., Allie Enlow of Norfolk, and Elizabeth Rogers of Morehouse; and 11 grandchildren, 29 great-grandchildren and four great-great grandchildren.

Friends may call at Holloman-Brown Funeral Chapel in Norfolk where services are scheduled at 3 p.m. Tuesday. The Rev. Robert Eason, pastor of Wesleyan Memorial United Methodist Church will officiate.

Burial will be in Memorial Garden Cemetery in Norfolk.

Awards show accents women

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The threat of a boycott by directors and writers passed, the television industry was ready for its biggest night of the year — the Emmy awards.

The stars and series makers gather tonight at the Hollywood Palladium for the 27th annual awards outpouring — a minimum of 63 Emmies to be conferred during the two-hour-plus telecast (CBS, 9 p.m. EDT.)

Except for Katharine Hepburn, Laurence Olivier and a few others, most of the nominees are expected to be in the audience.

As in previous years, the show's producers tried to eliminate acceptance speeches by directors, writers and other non performers.

Predictably, the Directors and Writers guilds rebelled and threatened a boycott. As before, the Academy capitulated.

This year's show puts the accent on femininity, with a parade of actresses as emcees, replacing the usual gag-ridden comedians.

The hostesses: Lucille Ball, Carol Burnett, Mary Tyler Moore, Beatrice Arthur, Jean Stapleton, Cher, Teresa Graves, Michael Learned, Karen Valentine and Susan Saint James.

How will the awards go? The Emmies are even more difficult to predict than the Oscars, since the TV awards are not voted by the Academy membership but by blue-ribbon committees.

Usually the number of nominations are a good barometer, hence "QB VII" is an automatic favorite. The ABC-Columbia Television six-hour film about a libel trial drew the most nominations — 13.

Among the series, "MASH" was the leader with 11, followed by "The Mary Tyler Moore Show" with 9. Two winners of yesteryear, "All in the Family" and "The Waltons," could manage only four apiece.

The hottest race is in the category of lead actress in a special program.

Unlike the Oscars, which have been weak in performances by actresses, the Emmies have five remarkable performances to choose from: Jill Clayburgh, "Hustling"; Elizabeth Montgomery, "The Legend of Lizzie Borden"; Diana Rigg, "In This House of Brede"; Maureen Stapleton, "The Queen of The Stardust Ballroom"; Katharine Hepburn, "Love Among the Ruins."

As usual, the Emmies could be won in bitter victories by lame ducks. Among the nominees are Tony Randall an Jack Klugman for "The Odd Couple," which has been canceled by ABC.

Casualties higher than first count

WASHINGTON (AP) — American casualties in the Mayaguez rescue were substantially higher than originally reported and now stand at five dead, 16 missing and 70 to 80 wounded.

A White House spokesman denied today that there was any news management in the delay in announcing the casualties.

But Press Secretary Ron Nessen said President Ford was somewhat puzzled over the slowness in totaling the losses.

"There was no intention to hide the bad news. There was no intention to hide the casualties," Nessen said.

The new casualty figures from the air, ground and sea operation in the Gulf of Thailand were disclosed Sunday by Defense Secretary James R. Schlesinger. On Friday the Pentagon had put preliminary casualtiy figures at one Marine killed, 22 wounded and 13 Marines and airmen missing.

"The President regrets even one casualty — and he certainly regrets all of the casualties," Nessen said.

He said the President is "frustrated at not being able to get all the figures and he is somewhat puzzled about the length of time taken."

Questioned about the length of time, Nessen said "Generally speaking, during the operation, people were spread over a number of ships and several were separated from their units. It just takes time to get firm figures."

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Veterans Hospital in Poplar Bluff.

David J. Keller, 10, of St. Louis was injured at 12:10 p.m. Sunday when he was struck by a pickup truck driven by George E. Cade, 62, of Farmington while fishing off a bridge in Silver Mines State Park, located on Route D in Madison County.

Cade told authorities the boy stood up just as he attempted to cross the bridge. He said the rear view mirror on the truck hit the boy and knocked him under the r ear wheels; which ran over his legs.

The boy was taken to the Madison County hospital.

James David Banken, 16, and Ruth Eskew, 20, of Dexter received minor injuries in a single-car accident at 4:30 p.m. sunday on Route F half a mile north of Aid in Stoddard County.

The accident occurred when Banken failed to stop at a stop sign and his car ran off the road and hit an embankment.

Both were taken to Dexter Memorial Hospital.

David W. Isoh, 17, of Lutesville and Mary E. Huston, 17, of Marbie Hill received minor injuries in a one-car accident at 4:15 p.m. Sunday on Route DD four miles southeast of Marquand.

The accident occurred when Isoh lost control of a pickup truck which ran off the left side of the road, then back on to the road and overturned.

Both were treated at Madison County Memorial Hospital.

Lydia Crites, 77, of Jackson received moderate injuries in a two-car accident on Highway 72 one mile west of Jackson at 8:50 p.m. Sunday. She was a passenger in a car driven by Jesse Daniel Crites, 78, of Jackson.

The accident occurred when a car driven by Betty Sue Hahs, 17, of Jackson attempted to make a left turn and her car was struck from behind by the Crites car.

Mrs. Crites was taken to Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape Girardeau.

Peace prize winner remains in coma

TOKYO (AP) — Former Japanese Prime Minister Eisaku Sato collapsed tonight at a restaurant in Tokyo while meeting with businssmen, his secretary said.

He said Sato was in a coma and was being treated by doctors at the restaurant. No other details were available, he added.

Doctors said Sato suffered an apoplexy and as of 11:30 p.m. — 10:30 a.m. EDT — he had not regained consciousness.

The 74-year-old Sato shared the 1974 Nobel Peace Prize with former Irish Foreign Minister Sean MacBride for his role in promoting peace and stability in East Asia during nearly eight years as Japanese prime minister from 1964 to 1972.

Correction

Bob Walker was incorrectly identified as Bob Wells in the photograph of the electric car in the Saturday edition of the Daily Standard.



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